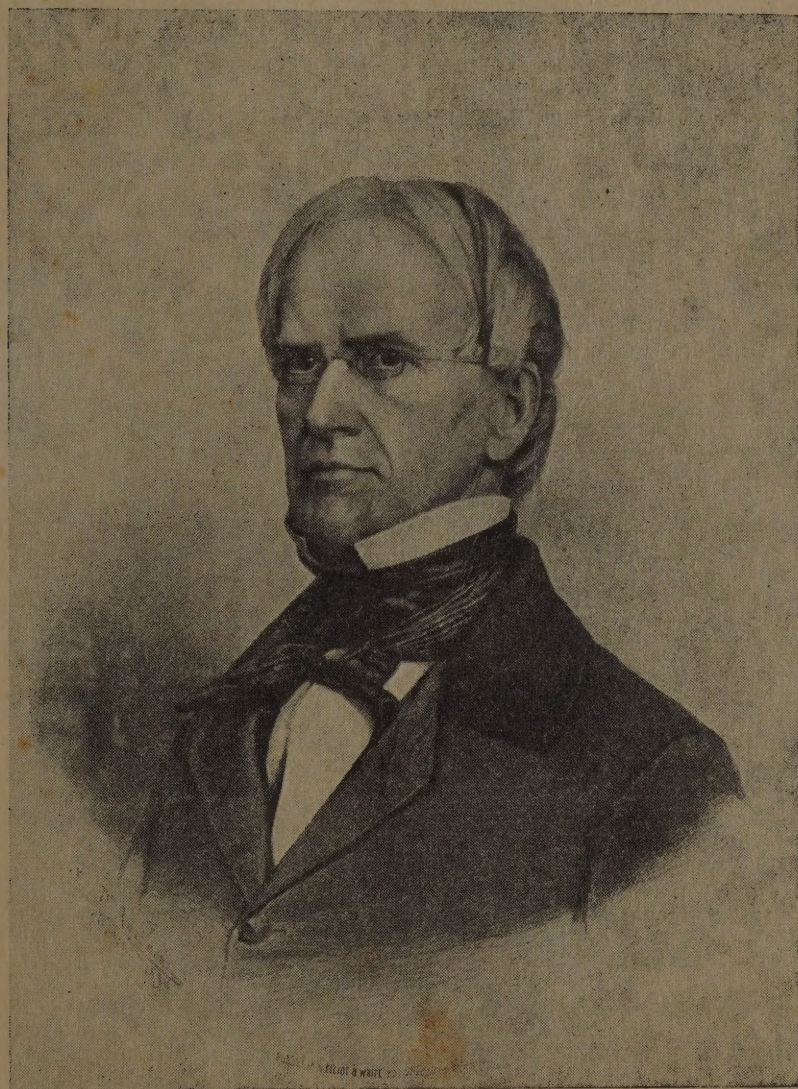


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*For the Year Ending Dec. 31, 1936*

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**HORACE MANN**

1937 marks the 100th Anniversary of the establishment of the State Department of Education with Horace Mann as its first Secretary





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## **TOWN OFFICERS ELECTED**

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**For the Municipal Year 1936**

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### **Moderator**

HARRY J. WEBB

### **Selectmen**

JOHN B. CATALDO  
ALBERT F. GRANGER                      PERCY G. LLOYD

### **Town Treasurer**

FRED E. MASON

### **Board of Assessors**

WILLIAM J. DICKSON  
Term Expires 1938  
LESLIE H. WARE                      BERNARD F. CALLAHAN  
Term Expires 1939                      Term Expires 1937

### **Town Clerk**

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO

### **Board of Public Welfare**

CHARLES E. DAILEY  
LOUIS M. VENDETTI                      WILLIAM L. PECK

### **Collector of Taxes**

ROBERT A. DOHERTY



**School Committee**

CARL E. RICHARDSON

Term Expires 1937

ROLAND F. McDERMOTT

Term Expires 1938

JAMES E. MATHER

Term Expires 1939

**Board of Health**

JOHN M. CROWLEY

Term Expires 1939

GEORGE I. PECK

Term Expires 1938

CHARLES B. HUSSEY

Term Expires 1937

**Water and Sewer Commissioners**

FRED P. CHAPMAN

Term Expires 1937

LEWIS J. CATALDO

Term Expires 1938

ARTHUR A. KEEFE

Term Expires 1939

**Constables**

CARL F. ENGLER

HAROLD BARNES

JOSEPH E. DENTON

**Auditor**

HENRY V. GREGORY

**Town Planning Board**

LESLIE H. WARE

Term Expires 1937

EUGENE F. SULLIVAN

Term Expires 1937

DAVID A. COUTHILL

Term Expires 1938

HARRY J. GEB

Term Expires 1939

DONALD B. DOE

Term Expires 1939

**Tree Warden**

JOHN W. STOBART



## **TOWN OFFICERS APPOINTED**

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### **Superintendent of Streets**

CHARLES H. ROBINSON

### **Chief of Police**

WALTER P. BURKE

### **Sergeant**

CARL F. ENGLER

### **Regular Officers**

HAROLD BARNES

JOSEPH W. CATALDO

WILLIAM J. CODY

### **Reserve Officers**

FRED O. WILBEE

JOHN A. McCARTHY

EDWARD A. DACEY

JOHN C. CARR

JOSEPH BERTONE

WILLIAM HOLMES

JOSEPH MACONI

JOHN F. FITZGERALD

### **Special Police Officers**

EDWARD S. COOK

JOSEPH E. DENTON

ERNEST W. WARD

JOHN J. McCARTHY

JOHN COUGHLIN

PATRICK CASEY

PAUL A. GILBERT

HERBERT C. STEWART

JOHN B. HEALEY



GEORGE U. PROAL  
CHARLES H. ROBINSON  
RALPH W. COOK  
HENRY HANNAN  
AGOSTINO DeBAGGIS  
ARTHUR C. WOODWARD  
MAXWELL SHANGRAW  
FRED L. DAVIS  
ELMER F. THOMPSON  
CLARENCE L. DEAN  
ALBERT F. GRANGER  
FRANK R. DeBAGGIS  
FRED DARLING  
LEO CASSIDY  
FRANK H. BROWN  
WILLIAM St. JOHN  
CHARLES KORFF  
ERNEST WIGGIN  
GEORGE F. RIBERO  
MERTON A. JEFFERS  
HAROLD A. VAN LEEUWEN  
CHARLES H. AUSTIN  
ROBERT H. DOE  
ARTHUR C. CLARK  
LEO J. BELLEVILLE  
LEE GRIFFITH  
JOSEPH PIERRIE  
WILLIAM M. BARNETT  
NICHOLAS VERA  
WILLIAM T. RICE  
FRANK X. BARDOL  
ROBERT M. GOODWIN  
FRANK DUQUETTE  
ANTONIO D'ANGELO  
ALFRED GOODWIN  
GEORGE V. MILLER  
GEORGE McMILLAN  
PERCY G. LLOY  
WILLIAM BRUNELLI  
DAVID J. RAFTER  
HENRY J. CUSON  
ISAAC PROULX  
JOHN C. FEELEY  
CHARLES F. MUCCIARONE



HENRY A. DARLING  
 ABBOTT CHADBOURNE  
 LOUIS J. MARCO  
 H. LESTER METCALF  
 RAYMOND McCARTHY  
 LEO C. BARTELLONI  
 NICHOLAS SOCCI  
 FRANK E. MORSE JR.

**Engineers of Fire Department**

LESLIE S. WIGGIN  
 GEORGE F. RIBERO                      CONNOR J. POND

**Dog Officer**

LOUIS J. MARCO

**Sealer of Weights & Measures**

WILLIAM H. SPENCE

**Inspector of Animals**

AUGUSTIN D. HANCOCK

**Public Weighers**

HARRY BULLUKIAN  
 GEORGE L. BENT  
 CHESTER H. AUSTIN  
 HENRY SIMMLER  
 FRANK BENT  
 ISRAEL GARELICK  
 ARTHUR BULLUKIAN  
 FRANCIS GREENE  
 PATRICK LALLY  
 HENRY BEDIRIAN  
 MAX GARELICK  
 FRANCIS LEMIER

**Measurer of Wood and Bark**

EDWARD S. COOK



**Soldiers' Burial Agent**

OWEN MORRISSEY

**Surveyors of Lumber**

EDWARD S. COOK

ORELLE LAFLEUR

**Fence Viewers**

GEORGE McMILLAN

HARRY R. BRIGHT

KENNETH MCINTYRE

**Field Driver**

AUGUSTIN D. HANCOCK

**Pound Keeper**

WALTER R. ADAMS

**Registrars of Voters**

JOHN W. ADAMS

Term Expires 1937

JOHN M. RILEY

Term Expires 1939

SULLIVAN POTENZA

Term Expires 1938

**Forest Fire Warden**

GEORGE F. RIBERO

**Gypsy Moth Superintendent**

JOHN W. STOBART

**Advisory Committee**

ALBERT H. MANN (Resigned)

THOMAS F. KEEFE

ERNEST B. PARMENTER

FRED E. DeBAGGIS

CLINTON S. CLARK

JOHN T. SULLIVAN (Deceased)

CHARLES E. LOUGEE

FRANCIS W. LOUCKS (Resigned)

GILBERT W. RICH  
JOSEPH P. CATALDO  
MICHAEL J. KEARNEY  
JOSEPH YADISERNIA  
WALTER F. BENNETT  
L. F. REMINGTON  
DANIEL A. CODY  
ARTHUR W. ROBINSON  
JOHN F. CONROY  
CONNOR J. POND



## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I herewith submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1936.

	Adjusted	Sealed	Non-Sealed	Condemned
Platform over 5000 lbs.	0	7	0	1
Platform under 5000 lbs.	5	39	0	0
Counter 100 lbs or over	0	1	0	0
Counter under 100 lbs.	0	27	0	0
Beam 100 lbs. or over	0	1	0	0
Spring 100 lbs. or over	0	2	0	0
Spring under 100 lbs.	2	44	0	0
Computing under 100 lbs.	0	20	0	0
Personal Weighing (Slot)	0	2	0	0
Apothecary Scales	0	4	0	0
Troy Weights	0	19	0	0
Avoirdupois Weights	0	140	0	0
Metric Weights	0	37	0	0
Gasolene Pumps	2	28	0	0
Juan. Meas on Pumps	0	140	0	0
Yard Sticks	0	5	0	0
Tapes	0	1	0	0
Oil Trucks	0	8	0	0
Sealing Fees Paid the Town Treasurer				\$79.11

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM SPENCE

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

## LIST OF JURORS FOR THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN

January 2, 1937

Bardol, Frank X., Garage	2 Maple Street
Belleville, Leo J., Mill	93 Washington Street
Bishop, Daniel J., Dealer	Spring Street
Bisson, Camille, Mill	108 Cottage Street
Brunelli, Nelsi, Clerk	67 Alpine Place
Callahan, Bernard F., Clerk	88 Hillside Road
Capland, Barnet, Tailor	18 Dean Avenue
Cataldo, Henry L., Mill	42 Worsted Street
Cody, Francis L., Clerk	64 West Street
Cody, Joseph R., Clerk	64 West Street
Connor, William J., Machinist	13 Church Avenue
Cook, Joseph H., Draftsman	15 Corbin Street
Cook, Ralph W., Farmer	664 E. Central Street
Coughlin, Fred A., Clerk	58 Washington Street
Daddario, Joseph, Plumber	184 School Street
D'Amico, Daniel A., Barber	25 West Central Street
Depoto, Lorenzo, Mill	603 West Central Street
Doherty, Edward J., Clerk	311 Main Street
Feeley, William R., Bookkeeper	140 E. Central Street
Ficco, Henry, Mill	143 Emmons Street
French, Robert F., Mill	Lincoln Street
Frenette, Arthur, Mill	27 Washington Street
Fricker, William E., Machinist	27 Alpine Place
Genoa, Domenic, Gardener	Hayward Street
Goodwin, Alfred H., Machinist	143 E. Central Street
Granger, Albert F., Clerk	229 Chestnut Street
Hawkins, Frank, Mill	51 Fales Street
Healey, John B., Farm	453 W. Central Street
Johnson, Cornelius F., Mill	151 E. Central Street
Keagan, James H., Railroad	385 Union Street
Kearney, Michael J., Clerk	106 Dean Avenue
Keefe, John J., Bookkeeper	121 Cottage Street
Langell, Howard J., Chauffeur	6 Emmons Street



LeClaire, George J., Jr., Mill	11 Ray Row
McCabe, Bernard W., Agent	33 West Street
McDonald, William L., Mill	38 Oak Street
Manning, Edward H., Spinner	66 Marvin Avenue
Manning, Leo F., Mill	66 Marvin Avenue
Mason, Charles M., Carpenter	18 Farrington Street
Mason, Preston, Clerk	81 Beaver Street
Monochio, Felix, Railroad	84 Cross Street
Morrissey, Owen H., Chauffeur	14 Emmons Street
Murray, Edward W., Painter	9 Union Street
Nason, Arthur O., Machinist	Pleasant Street
Parker, Clark W., Chauffeur	440 E. Central Street
Pasquantonio, James, Jeweler	Walnut Avenue
Pasquantonio, John P., Mill	116 Alpine Place
Picard, Wilfred, Mill	395 Lincoln Street
Pidgeon, George H., Mill	15 McCarthy Street
Pleau, Medrick, Driver	722 W. Central Street
Pond, Aaron G., Mill	19 Cottage Street
Revell, Ernest, Mill	56 West Street
Riley, John M., Agent	94 Hillside Road
Ristaino, Theodore, Mason	174 Washington Street
Rossetti, James F., Clerk	40 McCarthy Street
Rossetti, John A., Railroad	40 McCarthy Street
Sanderson, George A., Railroad	26 Dean Avenue
Scott, Charles H., Clerk	208 Union Street
Simmler, Henry E., Shipping Clerk	11 Chestnut Street
Simon, Maurice, Dealer	280 Main Street
Stewart, Harold D., Salesman	194 King Street
Stewart, William J., Chauffeur	35 East Street
Stobbart, Walter F., Gardener	140 Summer Street
Swanbeck, Wallace G., Mill	46 East Street
Sullivan, John Francis, Clerk	151 Summer Street
Supple, James A., Mechanic	89 Crescent Street
Supple, Leo P., Manager	81 Summer Street
Tupper, Harold G., Chauffeur	11 Chestnut Street
Vendetti, Louis M., Barber	48 Washington Street
Wilson, Aldace E., Farmer	437 King Street
Woodman, Elton P., Salesman	89 E. Central Street
Woodward, Arthur C., Chauffeur	987 W. Central Street
Van Keuren, Donald L., Painter	77 Beaver Street
Yadisernia, David L., Laborer	122 E. Central Street
Yadisernia, Joseph, Garage	245 Union Street

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT

for the  
Year Ending December 31, 1936

Appropriation	\$8000.00
Expenditures	7237.32
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Unexpended Balance	\$762.68

### Expenditures:

<b>Weekly Cash Assistance</b>	\$6339.95
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### Groceries and Provisions

DeBaggis & D'Errico Co.	\$6.00	
Economy Grocery Store	12.00	
First National Store	21.00	
George I. Peck	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$42.00

### Milk:

James Dacey	\$2.00	
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### Rent:

Dean Co-Operative Bank	\$55.08	
Lillis M. Litchfield	6.00	
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### Fuel:

Franklin Petroleum Products Co.	\$1.88	
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**Board:**

Rev. Thomas R. Reynolds	\$212.00	
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**Other Towns:**

Town of Uxbridge	\$5.00	
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**Office Expense:**

Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	\$9.99	
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**Medical Aid and Nursing Service:**

Walter F. Crowley, M. D.	\$91.00	
John M. Crowley, M. D.	44.00	
Franklin Nursing Assn.	5.50	
Chester L. Goodnow, M. D.	16.00	
H. Russell Green, M. D.	6.00	
Dr. James Howard,	1.00	
Charles B. Hussey, M. D.	119.50	
Milford Hospital	145.50	
Carl E. Richardson, M. D.	1.50	
	<hr/>	\$430.00

**Miscellaneous:**

Robert A. Doherty,		
Collector of Taxes	\$75.48	
Franklin Water Dept.	14.27	
B. B. Holden	9.50	
N. Y. N. H. & H., R. R. Co.	8.82	
The Pomeroy Company	9.20	
	<hr/>	\$117.27

**Clothing:**

B. Capland	\$10.00	
W. T. Grant Co.	2.00	
J. Shaner	4.15	
	<hr/>	\$16.15

**Department Receipts**

Unclaimed Money	\$3.00
Veterans Exemption	1.17
Reimbursement on account of aid	10.00
Reimbursement from Commonwealth	1245.00
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	\$1259.17

**Accounts Receivable**

Due from State on account of State Aid	\$840.00
Due from State on account of Military Aid	90.00
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	\$930.00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Board of Selectmen.

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD  
OF ASSESSORS**

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**for the year 1936**

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**Valuations:**

Land	1,711,525.00
Buildings	5,655,295.00
Personal	1,361,825.00
Total Valuation	\$8,728,645.00

Number of Persons Assessed on Property	1888
Number of Persons Assessed on Polls	2373



Number of Dwellings Assessed	1482
Number of Acres of Land	16887
Number of Horses Assessed	141
Number of Cows Assessed	493
Number of Neat Cattle	104
Number of Swine Assessed	144
Number of Foxes Assessed	12
Number of Goats Assessed	5
Number of Fowl Assessed	39430
Number of Turkeys Assessed	122

### **Net Amount Raised by Taxation of Polls and Property.**

Poll Taxes		\$4,666.00
Total Valuation		
\$8,728,645.00	Rate \$33.60	\$293,282.72
October Assessment of Polls		40.00
December Assessment of Real		55.44
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		\$298,044.16

### **ITEMS CONSIDERED BY ASSESSORS IN FIXING TAX RATE**

#### **Debits (Appropriations)**

Town Appropriation	\$344,024.72
Parks and reservations	146.46
Veterans Exemption	9.93
State Tax	13,395.00
County Tax	8,488.99
Tuberculosis Hospital	2,848.48
Overlay of Current Year	5,102.58
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	\$374,016.16

#### **Credits (Estimated Receipts)**

Income Tax	22,633.05
Corporation Tax	14,657.95
Race Track Distribution	564.00
Motor Vehicle Excise	9,000.00
Licenses	4,000.00
Fines	200.00
Special Assessments	13.12

Protection of Persons and		
Property	1,073.16	
Health and Sanitation	323.21	
Highways	50.00	
Charities	6,945.62	
Old Age Assistance	3,061.64	
Soldiers Benefits	378.35	
Schools	7,705.11	
Interest on Taxes and Assessments	4,831.68	
Reimbursement, State owned lands	87.96	
Excess Interest from Finance loans	542.59	
Total Credits		\$76,067.44

### PROPERTY EXEMPT BY STATUTE

School Department	\$635,650.00	
Water Department	133,750.00	
Sewer Department	143,000.00	
Town Infirmary	13,500.00	
Town Parks and Playgrounds	20,300.00	
Fire Department	79,000.00	
Highway Department	13,000.00	
Real Estate by Deed and		
Foreclosure	5,055.00	
Grand Army Hall	4,800.00	
Town Hall	12,000.00	
Town Cemetery	2,000.00	
		\$1,062,055.00



**PROPERTY OF THE UNITED STATES**

Post Office	\$40,000.00	
C. C. C. Camp Buildings (Grove St.)	10,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$50,000.00

**RELIGIOUS AND LITERARY INSTITUTIONS**

Personal	\$375,167.91	
Real Estate	608,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$983,667.91

**WARRANTS TO COLLECTOR**

Poll Tax 30th January, 1936 (2333)	\$4,666.00	
Poll Tax 26th October, 1936 (40)	80.00	
Real and Personal, May 14, 1936	293,282.72	
December Assessment, Real	50.44	
	<hr/>	\$298,079.16

**EXCISE WARRANTS**

February 19, 1936	\$2,074.77	
April 1, 1936	3,204.26	
May 4, 1936	3,201.04	
June 18, 1936	1,478.11	
September 14, 1936	337.26	
October 15, 1936	816.83	
November 30, 1936	514.03	
	<hr/>	\$11,626.30

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. DICKSON,  
LESLIE H. WARE,  
BERNARD F. CALLAHAN,

Board of Assessors.

## **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS**

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:  
Gentlemen:

To Dec. 31st my inspection for 1936 shows there are 523 cows, 163 young stock and other cattle, 774 swine, 18 goats, 8 sheep.

Twenty-one dogs were quarantined for biting.  
904 cattle were shipped in from out of the state, to be sold for dairy purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

A. D. HANCOCK,

Inspector of Animals.

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## **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN**

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:  
Gentlemen:

Annual report for the Tree Trimming Department:  
Appropriation \$600. Expenditures \$581.34. Balance \$18.66.

Cut down 27 trees. Trimmed 119 trees. Trimmed trees fronting Post-office and filled cavities. Trimmed the Common and cavity work. There is a lot of dead tree trimming to be done, also a lot of roadside grubbing to be done.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. STOBART,

Tree Warden.



## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE GYPSY MOTH DEPARTMENT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

Appropriation \$1,000. Expenses \$972.93. Balance \$28.07.  
Arsenate lead 150. Creosote 60. Brushes 4.

Sprayed about 1200 trees. Creosoted the whole town.  
Trees are in fair shape. None of the trees have been  
defoliated this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. STOBART,  
Local Supt.

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit the following report of the Highway  
Department for the year ending December 31, 1936.

Appropriated	\$18,000.00
Expended	17,999.73
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Unexpended	\$.27

### Maintenance of Country Roads

The country roads were scraped and put in fair condition.

Total cost including labor, gasoline, motor oil \$164.71

### General Maintenance

Cutting brush	\$72.50
Cleaning manholes	423.36
Cleaning gutters	543.62
Opening waterways	390.63
Carting rubbish	116.04
Flags-Main Street	29.51

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\$1575.66

### Town Dump

Labor by payroll \$604.00

### Snow Removal

Labor, by payroll	\$1,894.83
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	243.32
Universal Refining Co., motor oil	21.54
Genaro DeBaggis, truck hire	31.00
Angelo Padula, truck hire	21.00
Oralle LaFleur, truck hire	24.00
Percy G. Lloy, truck hire	76.50
horse hire	30.00
M. J. VanLeeuwen, truck hire	52.50
Edward S. Cook, horse hire	9.50
Charles Lavanaway, horse hire	8.00
Levi Boulanger, horse hire	4.00
Michael Dailey, horse hire	4.00
William Berndt, truck hire	21.00
Donat P. Lussier, welding	21.80
Philippe Lussier, repairing plow	13.14
Chase-Parker Co., set of wheel chains	14.63
William Clark & Co., repairing plow	4.42
American Railway Express, express-plow parts	.92
Charles Lawrence, lunches	15.50
F. P. Brunelli & Sons, lunches	3.45
Dyar Sales & Mach. Co., snow plow parts	208.00



Olivers Express, snow plow parts	.60
Carl L. Harris, repairing machine	13.01
Joe's Auto Station, set of wheel chains	17.00

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\$2,753.66

### **Sanding Roads, Ice Storms**

Labor by payroll	\$529.45
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	65.92
Universal Refining Co., motor oil	8.01
Percy Lloy, Sand	115.00
Oralle LaFleur, sand	22.20
O. T. Doe Estate, sand	20.00
Edward S. Cook, sand	3.00
Chemical Corp., Calcium Chloride	31.00

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\$794.58

### **Mill Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$617.77
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	163.95
Universal Refining Co., motor oil	26.01
O. T. Doe Estate, gravel	
Parker Danner Co., cable shovel	16.17

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\$823.90

The gravel on this project was paid for by the Federal Government.

### **Daniels Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$831.27
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	192.73
Universal Refining Co., motor oil	21.86
Gravel	

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\$1,045.86

The gravel on this project was paid by the Federal Government.

### **Miller Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$127.84
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	57.12

Motor oil	5.34
Gravel	<u>          </u>

\$190.30

The gravel on this project was paid by the Federal Government.

### **Pond Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$48.84
Gasoline	7.16
Motor oil	1.32
Gravel	2.00
Genaro DeBaggis, pump hire	13.50
W. K. Gilmore, bricks, lime	2.50

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\$75.32

### **Highland Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$22.50
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	11.39
Motor oil	.87

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\$34.76

The work on this street consisted of installing a drainage system.

### **Summer Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$4.50
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	10.09
Motor oil	.44

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\$15.03

### **Alpine Place W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$20.00
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	3.13
Motor Oil	.43
Gravel	1.50

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\$25.06

**Lewis Street W.P.A.**

Labor by payroll	\$116.63
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	6.27
Motor oil	.42

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\$123.32

**Prospect Street**

Labor by payroll	\$390.98
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	49.80
Motor Oil	8.88
Oralle LaFleur, gravel	20.00
George Dorr, gravel	5.00

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\$474.66

**Milliken Ave.**

Labor by payroll	\$15.64
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	2.60
George Dorr, gravel	4.00

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\$ 22.24

**Hauling Wood W.P.A.**

Standard Oil Co., gasoline	\$26.25
Motor oil	2.37

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\$28.62

**Cold Patching**

Labor by payroll	\$106.50
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	38.07
Motor oil	3.16

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\$147.73

**Painting Trucks**

Labor by payroll	\$84.06
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	3.75
Mack Motor Co., paint	20.00



John A. Geb, paint & brushes	17.46
A. J. Cataldo, paint	6.59
Franklin Lumber Co., paint remover	.75

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\$132.61

### **Greasing and Oiling Trucks**

Labor by payroll	\$171.63
Universal Refining Co., grease	45.01
Alemite Co.	
Grease	23.56
Parts	24.15
Theroux Bros., express on parts	.35
Nelsons Express, express on grease	4.50
Olivers Express, express on parts	.50
D. B. Chapman, grease	1.50

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\$271.20

### **Maintenance of Barn and Office**

Labor by payroll	\$353.63
Albert Mason, office supplies	8.77
Herbert Stewart, office supplies	14.90
H. Bullukian & Sons, coal	113.12
Union Light & Power	20.13
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	128.95
George Peck	2.05
Water Department	4.27
W. K. Gilmore, coal	2.25

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\$648.07

### **Emmons Street**

Labor by payroll	\$414.32
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	43.00
Motor oil	2.76
Gravel	41.20

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\$501.28

**Main Street**

Labor by payroll	\$115.93
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	18.39
Motor oil	2.21
Gravel	7.50
Central Iron Foundry	6.00

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\$150.03

**Grove Street**

Labor by payroll	\$252.19
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	61.24
Motor oil	4.54
Amos Bartlett, gravel	13.20
Percy G. Lloy, trailer hire	30.00
Genaro DeBaggis, pump hire	3.75
O. T. Doe Estate, gravel	26.00

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\$390.92

**Chestnut Street**

Labor by payroll	\$617.28
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	35.34
Motor oil	2.48
Gravel	8.20
Sand	1.50
Franklin Lumber Co., lumber	4.80
James Dauphinee, lumber	43.33

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\$712.93

**Alpine Place**

Labor by payroll	\$74.11
Standard Oil Co., gasoline	.96
Pipe (Furnished by W.P.A.)	

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\$75.07

**Swimming Pool**

Labor by payroll	\$101.37
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	14.40

Motor Oil	1.24
Sand	

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\$117.01

### Repairing Roller

Labor by payroll	\$38.50
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### Stubbs, Reid, Lee Street

Labor by payroll	\$521.59
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	81.12
Motor Oil	5.23
Gravel	

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\$607.94

### Dean Ave.

Resetting curbing	
Labor by payroll	\$12.50

### Park Road

Labor by payroll	\$49.75
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	1.20
George Sims (Casting)	7.00

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\$57.95

### Jordan Road

Labor by payroll	\$45.34
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	9.38
Motor Oil	.41
Gravel	7.20

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\$62.33

### Union Street Cemetery

Labor by payroll	\$20.40
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	6.88

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\$27.28



**Washington Street**

Labor by payroll	\$203.19
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	8.58
Motor Oil	.93
Franklin Lumber Co. (Cement)	6.50
Gravel	6.50

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 \$225.70

Repairing culvert and regravelling road  
after rain storms.

**East Central Street**

Labor by payroll	\$21.25
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	2.13
Motor Oil	.44
Gravel	.50

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 \$24.32
**Union Street**

Labor by payroll	\$24.50
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	1.25
Motor Oil	.44
Gravel	.40

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 \$26.59
**Corbin Street**

Repairing Gutters  
Labor by payroll

\$41.25

**Beach Street**

Repairing culvert.	
Labor by payroll	\$27.50
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	1.08

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 \$28.58
**West Central Street**

Repairing culvert Stults Driveway.  
Labor by payroll

\$20.00

**Forge Hill**

Labor by payroll	\$123.00
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	14.00
Motor Oil	1.08
Gravel	17.60

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\$155.68

**Lincoln Street**

Labor by payroll	\$31.50
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	7.15
Motor Oil	.42
Gravel	6.80

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\$45.87

**Graveling Various Streets**

Labor by payroll	\$329.56
Standard Oil Co. (Gasoline)	59.51
Motor Oil	2.87
Genaro DeBaggis (pump hire)	46.90
Gravel	48.18

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\$487.02

**Motor Equipment**

Mack Motor Co. (Parts)	\$83.98
White Motor Co. (Parts)	5.57
Gershkoff Body Works (Parts)	1.00
William Stewart (Fire extinguishers for trucks)	16.00
George Cody	
Repairs	695.07
Tires	161.50
Wallace Smith (Tires)	90.36
John F. Brogan (Repairs)	696.78
Carl L. Harris (Tires)	166.08
Joe's Auto	.50
Thomson National Press (Parts)	20.80
Harper Harnger Co. (Parts)	35.00

James H. Tower Iron Works	
(Repairs)	81.00
P. I. Perkins (Parts)	2.63
William H. Clark & Co. (Repairs)	6.36
Donald B. Chapman Co.	
Repairs	63.52
Tires	13.25
Registry of Motor Vehicles	12.00
Supple Motors (Repairs)	53.79
Thomas Hogan Co. (Tires)	12.40
Neil MacIvor (Repairs)	25.50
Dyar Sales (Hoist Oil)	4.50
Parker Danner Co. (Parts)	31.76
Rapp-Huckins Co. (Parts)	9.35
Donat Lussier (Repairs)	38.35
Phillippe Lussier (Parts)	.45

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\$2,327.50

### Express and Freight)

Reilly's Express	\$3.50
N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad	1.12
Oliver's Express	1.00
American Railway	3.93
Nelson's Express	23.35

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\$32.90

### Miscellaneous

American Mutual Liability	\$1,204.58
Insurance Co.	
Kingman Hardware (Supplies)	18.94
John A. Geb	69.25
Franklin Lumber Co.	
Lumber	44.77
Traffic paint	29.65
A. J. Cataldo & Sons (Supplies)	66.16
George Sims (Blacksmith)	104.00
Direct Sales (Supplies)	5.36
M. F. Ellis & Co. (Tools)	82.31
Chase Parker Co. (Tools)	38.51



Harry Davis (Cloth for flag)	.38	
James Dauphinee (Sign post)	24.00	
Massachusetts State Prison (Sign)	13.50	
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		\$1,701.41

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## CHAPTER #90 MAINTENANCE

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\$750.00 App. by State  
 \$750.00 App. by County  
 \$1,600.00 App. by Town

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\$3,100.00 Total App.  
 3,097.40 Expended

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\$2.60 Unexpended balance

### Chestnut Street

Labor by payroll \$309.08

The labor on this street was used for cold patching and applying a load of Tarvia.

### Pond Street

Labor by payroll \$65.00

The labor on this street was used for cutting brush.

### Washington Street

Labor by payroll \$50.00

The labor on this street was used for cleaning man-holes.

### Pleasant Street

Labor by payroll \$42.00

The labor on this street was used for cutting brush.

**Summer Street**

Labor by payroll \$28.53

The labor on this street was used for cleaning man-holes.

**Oak Street**

Labor by payroll \$43.00

The labor on this street was used for cold patching and cleaning manholes.

**King Street**

Labor by payroll	\$80.15
Frank Bent (truck hire)	193.50
Edward Revell (truck hire)	49.50
Oralle LaFleur (truck hire)	6.25
Oralle LeFleur (#1 stone)	253.00
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	
(V. C. 10" pipe)	259.65
Southeastern Con. (1 set basins)	19.00
E. L. LeBaron Co. (castings)	75.00

\$936.05

The labor on this project was furnished by W.P.A.

**Lincoln Street**

Labor by payroll	\$1,116.24
Gasoline	34.84
Motor Oil	3.44
William Berndt (truck hire)	22.50
Franklin Lumber Co. (lumber)	16.25
Oralle LeFleur	70.50
George Dorr (gravel)	2.50
Corbett Concrete Co.	
(V. C. pipe)	261.10
E. L. LeBaron (castings)	58.50
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	
Cement	7.15
Bricks	39.00
Desire J. Roy (curb inlets)	30.00

\$1,662.02

The gasoline and motor oil used on any street under chapter #90 maintenance was paid for out of Highway Department account.

## KING STREET

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\$2,625.00 App. by State	
\$3,500.00 App. by Town	

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\$6,125.00 Total App.	
\$6,124.98 Expended	

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Labor by payroll	\$3,739.57	
George Sims (blacksmith)	56.31	
Parker Danner Co. (jute)	10.00	
Parker Danner Co. (cable shovel)	31.44	
Franklin Lumber Co. (lumber)	7.76	
Franklin Lumber Co. (cement)	17.05	
Genaro DeBaggis (drilling and blasting)	238.88	
Percy G. Lloy (Trailer)	10.50	
American Manganese Steel Co. (Bucket teeth)	19.10	
New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. (Freight on bucket teeth)	.53	
John F. Brogan (Repairs equipment)	260.69	
Standard Oil Co. (gasoline)	230.98	
W. K. Gilmore & Sons 642 10" V. C. pipe	272.16	
40 bags cement	26.00	
4000 Sewer bricks	58.50	
John Wright Dynamite and Caps	40.00	
Pea Stone	20.40	
Mack Motor Co. (parts)	10.54	
Massachusetts State Prison (castings)	69.66	
		\$5,120.07



W. S. Darling (electric caps)	\$4.50	
Universal Refining (Motor oil)	20.90	
A. J. Cataldo & Sons (supplies)	3.22	
Desire J. Roy (curb inlets)	50.00	
Nelson Cement Stone Co. (curb inlets)	18.00	
George Dorr (gravel)	188.30	
Barrett Tarvia Co. (tar)	541.78	
Barrett Tarvia Co. (D. Patch)	30.37	
Blanchard Bros. (granite curbing)	53.90	
Oralle LaFleur (sand)	26.10	
Corbett Concrete Pipe Co. (10" V. C. Pipe)	48.84	
Southeastern Construction Co. (set basin block)	19.00	
		\$1,004.91

### CHAPTER #464 ACTS OF 1935

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Unexpended Balance	\$618.29
Expended Balance	\$618.29

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East Central Street Drainage	\$29.00
Chestnut Street Corner	366.81
Main Street Sidewalk	222.38

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\$618.19

This money was an unexpended balance  
of December 1935.

### WEST CENTRAL STREET DRAINAGE

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\$4,000.00	Appropriated
434.96	Expended
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\$3,565.04	Unexpended

We were working on this project when the town report went to the printer and expect to have it completed sometime in the month of February 1937.

Labor by payroll	\$215.15	
Percy G. Lloy		
Trailer Hire	6.00	
Gravel	12.50	
Franklin Lumber Co.		
Lumber	22.97	
Cement	48.00	
E. L. LeBarron (Castings)	40.50	
W. K. Gilmore & Sons		
(Sewer Bricks)	65.00	
Parker Danner Co. (Jute)	11.76	
Chase Parker Co. (Jute)	9.58	
Oralle LaFleur (Sand)	3.00	
John A. Geb (Rope)	.50	
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		\$434.96

### **TARVIA**

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\$10,000.00 Appropriated  
9,998.69 Expended

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\$1.31 Unexpended Balance

### **Beaver Street**

Labor by payroll	\$67.12	
Gasoline	3.75	
Motor Oil	.28	
Sand	15.00	
Tarvia	120.52	
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		\$206.67

### **Cold Patching**

Labor by payroll	\$1,578.12
Gasoline	44.04

Motor Oil	.55
Type D. Fine Patch	320.63
Sand	44.08
Pea Stone	252.40
K. P. Tarvia	236.50
Kerosene	38.05

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\$2,514.37

#### Depot Street

Labor by payroll	\$12.00
Gasoline	.65
Motor Oil	
Sand	4.00
Tarvia	51.75

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\$68.40

#### King Street

Labor by payroll	\$10.00
Gasoline	1.30
Motor Oil	
Sand	4.50
Tarvia	34.50

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\$50.30

#### East Central Street

Labor by payroll	\$159.38
Gasoline	1.82
Motor Oil	
Sand	39.55
Tarvia	188.84

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\$379.59

#### Mill Street

Labor by payroll	\$144.79
Gasoline	5.13



Sand	18.50	
Tarvia	540.50	
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**Maple Street**

Labor by payroll	\$209.59	
Gasoline	1.63	
Sand	22.50	
Tarvia	114.43	
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**Grove Street**

Labor by payroll	\$22.40	
Gasoline	1.56	
Motor Oil		
Sand	5.00	
Tarvia	46.00	
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**Stubbs and Reid Streets**

Labor by payroll	\$26.41	
Gasoline	4.80	
Motor Oil	.72	
Sand	4.20	
Tarvia	115.00	
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**Union Street**

Labor by payroll	\$51.31	
Gasoline	.60	
Motor Oil	.84	
Sand	12.50	
Tarvia	114.20	
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**Forest Street**

Labor by payroll	\$55.03
Gasoline	1.68
Motor Oil	.24
Sand	31.50
Tarvia	145.48

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\$233.93

**Washington Street**

Labor by payroll	\$377.72
Gasoline	24.44
Motor Oil	1.48
Sand	146.20
Tarvia	956.12

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\$1,505.96

**Lincoln Street**

Labor by payroll	\$134.77
Gasoline	6.50
Motor Oil	
Sand	50.10
Tarvia	291.53

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\$482.90

**Prospect Street**

Labor by payroll	\$59.82
Gasoline	1.56
Motor Oil	.48
Sand	14.75
Tarvia	307.51

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\$384.12

**Winter Street**

Labor by payroll	\$21.03
Gasoline	1.25
Motor Oil	.14

Sand	5.00	
Tarvia	57.50	
	<hr/>	\$84.92

**Dale Street**

Labor by payroll	\$21.03	
Gasoline	.63	
Sand	5.00	
Tarvia	46.00	
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**Dean Avenue**

Labor by payroll	\$15.00	
Gasoline	1.88	
Sand	10.00	
Tarvia	41.97	
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**Main Street**

Labor by payroll	\$277.91	
Gasoline	1.56	
Sand	88.65	
Tarvia	212.70	
	<hr/>	\$580.82

**Chestnut Street**

Labor by payroll	\$65.15	
Gasoline	7.41	
Motor Oil	1.10	
Sand	60.50	
Tarvia	392.50	
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**Emmons Street**

Labor by payroll	\$101.42	
Gasoline	13.13	

Motor Oil	.40
Sand	32.40
Tarvia	413.89

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\$561.24

### West Central Street

Labor by payroll	\$140.89
Gasoline	9.36
Motor Oil	1.65
Sand	30.00
Tarvia	177.79

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\$359.69

### Oak Street

Labor by payroll	\$17.26
Gasoline	1.56
Sand	8.50
Tarvia	62.79

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\$90.11

### Pleasant Street

Labor by payroll	\$85.75
Gasoline	4.68
Sand	18.00
Tarvia	173.84

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\$282.27

### Miscellaneous

Joseph Oliver's Express	\$2.00
Chase Parker Co.	
Sq. Pt. Shovels	14.70
John F. Brogan	
Repairs — Mixer	5.48
George E. Cody	
Repairs — Mixer	27.72
George Sims	
Building drag	6.50



M. F. Ellis & Co.	
2 Doz. brooms	43.00
Pratt Equipment Co.	
New road broom	22.50
John A. Geb	
New sq. pt. shovel	6.00
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	\$127.90

The gasoline and motor oil used on all above streets was paid for out of Highway Department Appropriation. On account of the open winter we are having, the roads next spring and summer will require more patching than usual, and nearly all roads will need surface treatment.

### CHESTNUT STREET

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#### Chapter #90 Roads

Appropriated by Town	\$7,000.00
Appropriated by State	5,250.00
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Total appropriation	12,250.00
Expended	11,722.58
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Unexpended balance	\$527.42
Labor by payroll	\$6,117.01
Standard Oil Co.	
Gasoline	499.85
Universal Refining Co.	
Motor Oil	33.01
Genaro DeBaggis	
Compressor hire	300.63
Home Coal Co.	
Shovel hire	745.50
Percy G. Lloy	
Trailer hire	10.50
Truck hire	33.00
O. A. Lafleur	
Truck hire	95.00
Sand	80.10

Domenic DePietro	
Roller hire	205.00
George Sims	
Blacksmith	23.60
Parker, Danner Co.	
Jute	9.31
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	
V. C. Sewer pipe	439.58
Cement	26.65
Cesspool cover	3.00
Sewer bricks	21.43
Southeastern Construction Co.	
Basin blocks	190.00
White Motor Co.	
Parts	55.20
Mack Motor Co.	
Parts	170.61
Heil Hoist Co.	
Parts	34.81
American Manganese Steel	
Bucket teeth	19.20
John F. Brogan	
Repairs on equipment	601.30
George E. Cody	
Repairs on equipment	99.98
W. S. Darling Co.	
Dynamite and caps	24.00
E. L. LeBaron Co.	
Castings	178.50
Franklin Lumber Co.	
Cement	13.12
Lumber	23.45
Nails	.88
Desire J. Roy	
Curb inlets	100.00
Buffalo, Springfield Co.	
Parts — roller	5.50
O. T. Doe Estate	
Gravel	423.00
John Wright	
Dynamite and caps	45.00
Barrett Tarvia Co.	
Tarvia	957.39

Department of Correction	
Cement post	41.25
Edward J. Baker Co.	
Cable and hooks	67.40
Easement Fees	6.00
Nelson Cement Stone Co.	
Dead end blocks	4.00
Vito Scappattecci	
New Fence	15.00
A. J. Cataldo & Sons	
Paint	3.82
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	\$11,722.58

This road was continued 300 feet beyond the contract, which called for 3000 lineal feet of construction.

### CITY MILLS CEMETERY

Appropriated	\$100.00
Expended	99.43
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Unexpended Balance	.57
Labor, by payroll	\$88.00
A. J. Cataldo & Sons	
(2 bamboo rakes)	1.78
John A. Geb	
(pair shears)	.90
John W. Stobbart	
(grass seed)	8.75
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	\$99.43

### COMMON

Appropriated	\$300.00
Expended	300.00
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Labor, by payroll	\$186.00
John F. Brogan	
(Repairs — mower)	24.60
A. J. Cataldo & Sons	
(Tools)	10.72
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	
(Fertilizer)	13.60
John W. Stobbart	
(Labor, grass seed)	16.75
John A. Geb	
(Tools)	4.33
John Flemming	
(Custodian of flag)	20.00
Arthur J. Cote	
(Sharpening mower)	12.50
Francis Neelon	
(Loam)	8.00
Kingman Hardware Co.	
(Tools)	3.50

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\$300.00

### EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

Appropriated	\$3,500.00
Expended	3,500.00
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Donald B. Chapman Co.	
Express truck	\$545.00
Spare tire	16.04
Supple Motors, Inc.	
G. M.. C. truck	2,192.21
Registration fee	2.00
Dyar Sales and Machinery Co.	
Snow plow parts	595.45
Thomas E. Hogan	
Tire	34.30



Alemite Co.  
Grease gun

115.00

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\$3,500.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. ROBINSON,  
Superintendent of Highway.

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF DOG OFFICER

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Jan. 15, 1937.

Board of Selectmen  
Franklin, Mass.

I hereby submit a detailed report pertaining to dogs  
in the Town of Franklin.

Dogs licensed in 1936	615
Amount collected (License fees)	\$1,388.20
Dogs killed by automobiles	3
Dogs, stray and unlicensed which were not claimed. Destroyed	12
Dogs which were ordered restrained by the Board of Selectmen for destroying property and biting people	5

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS J. MARCO,  
Dog Officer.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Franklin:  
Town of Franklin.

Gentlemen:

The Fire Department responded to 81 alarms this year. 31 Box Calls, 47 Chimney alarms, 2 False Alarms, 1 Mutual Aid to Norfolk.

The Whistle machine broke this year beyond repair after 45 years of service, and it will be necessary to purchase a new one this year.

The Forest Fire truck will have to be replaced this year as it necessitates a large amount of repairs, as it has been in service 14 years and it has out-lived its usefulness. The building and apparatus are in first-class condition, except for the Forest Fire truck.

We recommend, for the support of the Fire Department \$9,500.00.

Respectfully submitted,

LESLIE S. WIGGIN,  
GEORGE F. RIBERO,  
CONNOR J. POND,

Board of Engineers.

# FIRE DAMAGE IN THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN FOR THE YEAR 1936

Date	Box	Owner	Assessed		Damage		Value		Cause
			Value	Bldg.	Contents	Damage	Contents	Value	
1/17	21	P. Brunelli	\$3,000.	\$995.00	—	—	—	\$1,500.	Short Circuit
1/30	42	H. T. Hayward Co.	124,000.	—	338.30	—	—	100,000.	Dust on Steam Pipes
2/2	213	Adelina Raneri	3,000.	321.00	75.00	—	—	1,500.	Accidental — Blow Torch
2/24	32	Carl Engler	3,000.	415.00	88.80	—	—	1,500.	Spontaneous Ignition
2/28	12	A. Varjian	1,500.	—	32.00	—	—	2,500.	Cigarette — Careless Smoking
3/1	Still	George Greene	3,500.	178.00	63.80	—	—	1,000.	Defective Chimney
3/31	117	Oscar Davis	1,700.	2,500.00	1,109.55	—	—	1,500.	Sparks from Chimney Fire
4/2	12	E. H. Metcalf Estate	22,000.	50.00	50.00	—	—	3,000.	Short Circuit — Refrigerator
4/17	114	A. Bogdantzik	3,000.	3,200.00	200.00	—	—	1,000.	Defective Chimney
4/20	Still	A. B. Chilson	3,300.	75.00	61.50	—	—	1,200.	Short Circuit
4/27	Still	A. T. Mann	3,300.	3.90	—	—	—	—	Sparks from Chimney Fire
5/7	No	Pentecostal Council	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5/27	Alarm	Assemblies of God	2,000.	532.00	—	—	—	—	Defective Chimney
6/4	12	A. Russegue	700.	50.00	—	—	—	—	Unknown
6/12	16	New Transportation Truck Co.	2,000.	75.00	180.00	—	—	180.	Unknown
8/18	141	R. Sewell	3,100.	807.00	109.00	—	—	1,500.	Spontaneous Ignition
8/23	Still	Mrs. O. T. Doe	7,350.	354.00	—	—	—	2,500.	Defective Oil Burner
9/3	514	A. C. Mason	6,000.	121.40	93.00	—	—	2,500.	Defective Water Heater
9/5	41	Gertrude Hayes	2,400.	50.00	20.00	—	—	1,500.	Explosion of Oil Burner
10/3	Still	Franklin Yarn Co.	36,500.	—	741.50	—	—	45,000.	Spontaneous Ignition
10/6	142	Appleton Rubber	300.	10.00	—	—	—	—	Spontaneous Ignition
		Frank Dudley	1,700.	762.00	50.00	—	—	1,000.	Overheated Furnace

# **ANNUAL REPORT OF FOREST FIRE DEPT. FOR YEAR 1936**

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Jan. 15, 1937.

Honorable Board of Selectmen:

We responded to 51 alarms for brush and grass fires.

We responded to one call to Town of Medway for aid. Called in the State truck from Stoughton to help wet down the woods off Maple street.

It was necessary to purchase 400 feet of 1-inch hose to replace some that were worn and destroyed during the season, and it will be necessary to purchase 500 feet of 1-inch hose this season to build up near the amount that will be required for this season's work.

The estimated amount for the use of this Department will be \$1500.00, which will include the purchase of the 500 feet of hose as recommended, and the Warden's salary, for 1936. The appropriation for 1936 was not sufficient, that being used for purposes over which we had no control, and it will also include the salary for 1937.

The present Forest Fire truck is now worn out, and caused us considerable trouble during the last year, and it is recommended by the Board of Fire Engineers that a new piece of apparatus be purchased to replace the present one, which recommendation appears under separate article.

G. F. RIBERO,  
Warden.





**FREEMAN G. KNOWLTON**

**Born**  
**Sept. 19, 1871**

**Died**  
**Jan. 29, 1936**

**Served Police Department for 30 years**

**Patrolman — Chief**



## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:—

I hereby respectfully submit the report of my department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1936.

### Arrests and Other Activities

Assault with a dangerous weapon	1
Assault with intent to rape	1
Assault and battery	7
Accessory after the fact to murder	6
Alien selling alcoholic beverage	1
Breaking and entering	9
Larceny	6
Concerned in a lottery	2
Drunkenness	48
Drunk and disturbing the peace	1
Drunk and assault and battery	2
Disturbing the peace	1
Driving motor vehicle to endanger life	2
Driving motor vehicle intoxicated	8
Driving motor vehicle, hit and run	
causing injury to property	1
Driving motor vehicle, intoxicated, hit and	
run, injury to property	1
Driving motor vehicle, hit and run	
causing injury to person and property	1
Failure to provide for aged parent	1
Insane commitments	5
Neglect of wife and minor children	2
Neglect of wife	1
Peddling without license	5
Profanity and assault and battery	1
Profanity and motor violation	1
Setting forest fires	2
Stubborn child	1
Run away children	8



Soliciting auto rides	2
Soliciting auto rides and malicious injury to property	1
Threats	3
Trespass	2
Vagrancy	21
Violation of probation	7
Violation of parole	1
Violation pure food laws	1
Violation motor vehicle laws	23
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	186

#### **Disposition of Cases as Follows:**

Committed to House of Correction	12
Committed to State Farm	2
Dismissed	3
Delivered to other departments	15
Filed	38
Fined	69
Insane commitments	5
Not guilty	5
Probation	26
Released	9
Returned to parents	2
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Total	186

Prisoners lodged in our lock-up for the Town of Bellingham	37
Doors and windows found open or unlocked	103
Miles covered by cruising car	31,256
Miles covered by motorcycle patrol	4,220

#### **Motor Violations**

Court summonses	37
Suspension of license	18
Warnings	167
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Total	223

Fires discovered by Police	3
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A complete fingerprint apparatus has been installed in the cell room of the station, all officers have received instructions, and it has proved very valuable to the department.

All regular and reserve officers attended an evening class, one night a week for a period of three months, under my supervision. This course of study consisted of text book and lectures covering the criminal laws of the state, instruction on investigation of crime, laws of evidence and detection and apprehension of criminals.

Great consideration has been given to the safety of bicycle traffic in this community. A mass meeting of the bicycle riders of the town was held at the Theron Metcalf Field. I personally addressed the gathering over loud speaking equipment. Having in mind the results of serious accidents of bicycle riders in other communities, and from my study of the causes of these disasters, I based my talk on the hazards they should avoid. After the lecture mimeograph copies were distributed showing what to remember when riding your bicycle and the many "don'ts" which have caused so many accidents. Forty-two warnings were given to operators of bicycles for various violations on the highway. With a record of no fatal accidents and but one injury reported, it appears that this community has been very fortunate, and, if the effort of this department was in any manner helpful, it was our sincere purpose.

In the enforcement of motor vehicle laws, a card system is used which provides a record of every violation, and the circumstances surrounding each complaint. These cards are kept as a permanent record of the department.

A case report system has been installed of all arrests and investigations made by the officers of this department. These records are made by the officers upon completion of their investigation, reports contain in detail the story of the case. These records are filed and are a permanent record of the department.

This department wishes to express through you, our sincere thanks to the people of Franklin for their support at our annual ball. The Franklin Police Relief Association was formed for the promotion of social intercourse among its members, and for mutual assistance, cooperation and protection. It is now working under an accepted set of by-laws with a working capital in their treasury.

This report should not be concluded without commenting upon the loyal cooperation and valuable services rendered by the officers of the department, who have made possible the substantial accomplishments of the year, nor without referring to the assistance given us by all branches and departments of the town.

I estimate the necessary expenditures to operate this department for the year 1937 will be \$13,400.00.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER P. BURKE,

Chief of Police.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF LOCK-UP KEEPER

Franklin, Mass., January 1, 1937.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:—

As Lock-up Keeper I beg to submit the report of confinements in the lock-up for the year ending December 31, 1936.

Drunk	47
Capias	1
Auto Violations	10
Larceny	4
Drunk and driving under influence	11
Vagrants	21
Assault and Battery	7
Assault with Dangerous Weapon	1
Violation Probation	7
Suspicious Persons	6
Default	1
Runaways	8
Breaking and Entering	6
Threats	2
Peddling without License	5
Violation Food Laws	1
Concerned in Lottery	2
Assault intent to Rape	1
Failing to Provide for Aged Parent	1
Disturbing the Peace	1
Non Support	3
Soliciting Rides	3
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Bellingham Prisoners Confined	37
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Total Number Prisoners Confined	186

Respectfully submitted,  
 HAROLD BARNES,  
 Lock-up Keeper.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

There was appropriated for the use of the Welfare Department in 1936 \$50,000.00. Against this amount, our department received, as shown below, a total of \$8,953.55. In order to make it clear in the minds of the townspeople, we wish at this time to explain that these receipts are not available for the use of our department. All receipts are turned in to the Excess & Deficiency Account.

We have aided during the year 1936 298 cases, representing approximately 860 persons. On Dec. 31, 1936 we had on our books 178 cases, 91 of which are recipients of Old Age Assistance. Because of the law reducing the age limit on Old Age Assistance to 65 years, we have more than doubled our case load and expenditures on that department. As provided by law, we are receiving from the Federal government approximately 50 per cent reimbursement based on our monthly expenditures on Old Age Assistance. This money is given to the use of our department to be used for the payment of Old Age Assistance only.

We have delivered during 1936 473½ cords of wood to needy families.

### Welfare Department Receipts

Reimbursement on Mothers' aid

Commonwealth of Massachusetts \$804.00

Town of Bellingham 106.00

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\$910.00

Reimbursement on Temporary Aid

Commonwealth of Massachusetts \$177.92

Town of North Attleboro 46.60



Town of Walpole	48.00	
City of Medford	163.58	
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		\$436.10
Reimbursement on Old Age Assistance		
Town of Norwood	\$178.68	
Town of Blackstone	176.67	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	6,233.20	
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		\$6,588.55
Town Farm		
Town of Norwood	\$448.00	
George Lavoie	52.00	
William Huntoon	160.00	
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		\$660.00
Miscellaneous		
Various Persons — reimbursement on account of aid rendered		\$358.90
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Total		\$8,953.55

### EXPENDITURES

Appropriation	\$50,000.00
Expenditures	50,000.00
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### Town Farm Expenditures

Medical Aid	
Dr. Solon Abbott	\$27.00
Bartlett & Fales	15.74
J. M. Crowley, M. D.	24.00
A. C. Dana & Son	62.11
Chester L. Goodnow, M. D.	6.00
H. Russell Green, M. D.	93.00
Albert C. Mason	72.19

Dr. David Pinsky	6.00
Carl E. Richardson, M. D.	4.50

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\$310.54

## Salaries

Walter R. Adams	\$1,080.00
Homer Snow	292.00
Irving Trentham	420.00
Carrie Whiting	388.00

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\$2,180.00

## Groceries and Provisions

H. Bilazarian	\$220.44
F. P. Brunelli & Sons	113.81
H. Bullukian Sons	76.65
A. B. Chilson	184.23
A. DeBaggis Company	251.56
J. E. Dumas	252.31
James E. Greene	28.67
Klicko's Market	178.25
Modern Sea-Food Market	66.68
Albert Ober	51.17
Oriental Tea & Coffee Co.	63.40
George I. Peck	261.47
Charles Quinn	301.68
A. Varjian	205.39

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\$2,255.71

## Clothing

L. J. Cataldo Co.	\$24.60
M. J. Costello	18.44
Harry Davis	158.80
J. H. Riordan	6.90
Reformatory for Women	5.91

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\$214.65

## Lights

Union Light & Power Company	\$174.96
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## Fuel

H. Bullukian Sons

\$256.72

## Miscellaneous

A. D. Hancock	\$39.00
J. J. McCarthy	1.40
George A. Avery	2.50
Bartlett & Fales	29.79
Beam Cleaner Company	10.00
O. W. Biersdorff	6.00
Herman Bly	5.50
A. J. Cataldo Sons	206.06
W. S. Cobb Company	2.35
Continental Nurseries	5.65
Joseph E. Coutu	30.00
James T. Dauphinee & Sons	17.43
A. C. Dana & Son	31.30
Fred Davis	3.50
Harry Davis	7.65
Ralph Davis	4.00
Franklin Furniture Co.	35.00
Franklin Lumber Co.	6.18
Franklin Water Dept.	68.46
John A. Geb	41.11
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	607.41
Charles Gross	3.00
Norman C. Hayner Co.	101.91
John B. Healey	24.75
The Holmerden Co.	2.67
Peter Jenest	2.50
Patrick J. Kelly	6.25
Thomas F. Keefe	24.40
Kingman Hardware Co.	71.42
Albert C. Mason	39.19
Massachusetts Reformatory	8.60
Milford Auto Parts Co.	4.75
W. A. Molloy	29.10
Reformatory for Women	42.26
Rochester Germicide Co.	91.19
Dante Rovani	40.00
Sanitary Chemical Co.	10.00
George L. Sims	84.54
A. Simon & Sons	19.95
Thomas Spence	3.00

State Prison	5.03	
W. J. Stewart	200.00	
Maurice Stutman	95.00	
Sun Beam Cleaner Co.	16.00	
James Traverse	5.76	
Joseph Yadisernia	410.44	
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		\$2,502.00
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Total Town Farm Expenditures		\$7,894.58
<b>Old Age Assistance</b>		
Cash Assistance		\$10,794.00
Other Towns		
City of Attleboro	\$88.00	
Town of Mansfield	116.00	
Town of Norwood	39.00	
Town of North Attleboro	371.74	
Town of Upton	30.00	
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		\$644.74
Rent		
Mary Buckley	\$70.00	
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		\$70.00
Medical Aid and Nursing		
W. F. Crowley, M. D.	\$21.00	
Franklin Nursing Association	8.25	
Chester L. Goodnow, M. D.	15.00	
H. Russell Green, M. D.	93.00	
Charles B. Hussey, M. D.	30.00	
Carl E. Richardson, M. D.	7.50	
F. H. Salls, M. D.	5.00	
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		\$179.75
Miscellaneous		
Thomas F. Keefe	\$164.00	
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		\$164.00
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Total Old Age Expenditures		\$11,852.49
Weekly Cash Assistance		\$4,729.00



## Labor

As per payroll	\$1,643.69
Antonio D'Angelo	4.50
Clifford Demaris	12.09
Ralph Jewett	13.78
Frank Kennedy	23.90
William Kennedy	4.78
Owen Morrissey	4.50
Medrick Pleau	4.50

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\$1,711.74

Medical Aid and Nursing  
Service

Dr. Solon Abbott	\$115.00
Bartlett & Fales	1.18
Mrs. William Brennan	10.00
Ellodie Brogan	2.00
Mrs. Charles Colpack	3.36
J. M. Crowley, M. D.	174.00
Walter F. Crowley, M. D.	239.60
Agnes Dailey	30.00
A. C. Dana & Son	18.74
Yvonne Degre	20.00
Esther Geromini	15.00
Franklin Nursing Association	36.75
Chester L. Goodnow, M. D.	137.60
H. Russell Green, M. D.	408.00
Charles B. Hussey, M. D.	421.00
Infants' Hospital	24.00
M. B. Marshall	10.00
Albert C. Mason	126.27
Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary	91.10
Massachusetts General Hospital	118.94
Milford Hospital	297.00
Memorial Hospital	34.00
Dr. David Pinsky	9.00
Pondville Hospital	30.00
Mrs. Charles Richards	18.59

Carl E. Richardson, M. D.	214.50
Dr. Albert J. Vena	13.00

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\$2,618.63

## Board

Asa M. Arnold	\$208.00
John Buchanio	135.00
J. W. S. Colby	195.67
Daniel D'Amico	34.50
Mrs. J. Jenest	122.86
Holy Ghost Hospital	478.61
Mary Leighton	176.00
Otto Lundborn	204.00
John Marino	260.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	290.71
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	628.00
Frank E. Morse, Jr.	137.14

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\$2,870.49

## Salaries

Laura F. Belleville	\$976.00
Santina Cataldo	307.40
Charles E. Dailey	82.50
William Peck	67.50
Louis M. Vendetti	70.32

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\$1,503.72

## Rent

M. B. Marshall	\$96.00
Sam Alashian	176.00
Barnard Bachner and David Pinsky	24.00
Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank	65.00
Hoogas Bilizarian	294.00
Mrs. James Brogan	15.00
David Bullukian	112.50
Harry Bullukian	357.77
A. B. Chilson	180.00

Fred Clement	63.00
Charles Dailey	97.50
Alfred Dana, Agent	120.00
Mrs. Michael D'Angelo	144.00
H. E. Darling	150.00
Dean Co-Operative Bank	179.03
Robert H. Doe	2.50
Elmer Fisher	20.00
Annie Foran	30.00
Davis Thayer Gallison	120.00
Carmine Giardino	93.75
George W. Greene	90.00
A. M. Haggart	260.00
H. T. Hayward Co.	291.00
Home Owners' Loan Corp.	6.38
John B. Landry Estate	165.00
Joseph Lozzi	135.00
E. L. Metcalf	37.50
Rosalie Moore	13.60
Estate A. H. Morse	10.00
John Nystrom	3.00
Frank Pecci	105.00
Dr. David Pinsky	18.00
Harry Prince	45.00
A. H. Simons	30.00
Maxiam Tero, Jr.	103.05
Mrs. Charles Tucker	120.00
M. J. Van Leeuwen	180.00
F. A. Vozzella	60.00
George Whiting Estate	78.00
Daniel Whiting Estate	84.00
Annabelle Woodward	186.00
Louise Champa Woolford	144.00

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\$4,504.58

Fuel:

Boulanger & Revell	\$37.96
H. Bullukian Sons	233.66
George Dauphinee	1.00
Franklin Petroleum	
Products Co.	39.05
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	29.00
Peter Goggin	7.52

John Kerrigan	50.00
Morse & Son	21.00
Peck Coal Company	27.33
George I. Peck	3.19
R. & D. Oil Co.	20.28
A. Varjian	26.56
John Zappitelle	18.80

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\$515.35

Other Towns:

Town of Canton	\$342.50
Town of North Attleboro	78.00
Town of Uxbridge	13.00

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\$433.50

Office Expense:

George T. Pascoe	\$1.50
Carl Carlson, P. M.	15.36
Alfred I. Duxbury	5.11
Ellis Smith Co.	2.75
J. L. Fairbanks Co.	7.56
John A. Geb	0.69
Hobbs & Warren Inc.	71.90
Chas. B. Hutchinson, Act. P. M.	17.26
Kee Lox Manufacturing Co.	1.50
Albert C. Mason	2.40
H. B. McArdle Company	2.50
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	3.96
Palley Office Supply Co.	2.55
Sentinel Press Inc.	6.25
L. C. Smith & Corona	
Typewriter Inc.	44.55
Stewart Press	8.70
Waltham Sales Book Co.	14.04

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\$208.58

Milk:

E. Boulanger Estate	\$7.28
Bright Farm Dairy	1,110.42
John D. Carey	6.55
James Dacey	32.89



Michael P. Dailey	86.32
Joe Gricci	102.33
A. D. Hancock & Sons	87.10
Leland Brothers	8.19
Frank Lola	62.14
Alex Salaveuis	10.53
John T. Sullivan Estate	310.64

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\$1,824.39

**Groceries and Provisions:**

Charles A. Arcaro	\$69.00
Bartlett & Fales	3.19
Hoogas Bilizarian	32.00
F. P. Brunelli & Son	400.50
H. Bullukian Sons	90.84
Domenic Caruso	76.50
John D'Aniello	719.98
A. DeBaggis Company	40.00
DeBaggis & D'Errico	1,133.51
J. E. Dumas	6.50
Economy Grocery Store	220.47
First National Stores	1,072.58
Gloria Chain Store	367.66
Great A. & P. Tea Company	149.25
Klicko's Market	406.53
Charles Lawrence	0.75
Moro's Market	2.50
Archie MacDonald	5.84
George I. Peck	1,920.85
Turco & Pisani	25.00
A. Varjian	380.00
Raffaele Vozzella	281.50
John Zappitelle	6.00

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\$7,410.95

**Clothing:**

Max Berezin	\$2.00
Bernadette Shoppe	4.76
F. P. Brunelli & Son	15.00
B. Capland	118.48

Irene Capland	4.00
Pasquale Carile	26.25
M. J. Costello	27.03
Harry Davis	124.64
Ralph Davis	47.28
D. Falcon	9.35
W. T. Grant Company	56.88
Mary Leighton	18.45
Otto Lundborn	6.00
Florence Mason	3.95
J. J. Newberry Co.	28.20
J. H. Riordan	2.10
J. Shaner	30.86
Louise D. Walker	8.00
Frank Walsh	11.59
Joseph Zanino	3.65

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\$548.47

## Lights:

Union Light & Power Co.	\$242.86
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\$242.86

## Miscellaneous:

J. J. Newberry Company	\$5.00
Bartlett & Fales	0.25
Domenic Caruso	6.00
A. J. Cataldo Sons	20.65
Fred Clark	42.50
Edward S. Cook	7.50
Joseph E. Coutu	103.75
Charles Dailey	63.60
Leo Derosier	12.00
E. & W. Laundry Service	15.34
Evening Call Publishing Co.	1.40
Franklin Lumber Co.	2.30
Franklin Water Department	5.00
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	1.75
W. T. Grant Co.	0.75
Wilfred Guinard	21.75
B. B. Holden	8.50
Thomas Keefe	81.00

Kingman Hardware Co.	1.00	
Percy G. Lloy	257.25	
Albert C. Mason	1.00	
Town of Milford	153.14	
Frank E. Morse, Jr.	11.63	
Morse & Son	46.26	
J. J. McCarthy	7.00	
N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	33.02	
Dr. David Pinsky	150.00	
W. A. Pond	62.50	
Taunton Gas Light Co.	6.33	
Welfare Dept. Expense	2.50	
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		\$1,130.67

### U. S. Grant — Old Age Assistance

#### Receipts:

Cash—For Old Age		
Assistance Use	\$5,202.53	
Cash—For Administrative Use	173.39	
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		\$5,375.92

#### Expenditures:

Cash Assistance	\$5,184.26	
Salary		
Santina Cataldo	136.60	
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		\$5,320.86

Unexpended balance	<hr/>	\$55.06
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### BILLS RECEIVABLE

Due from State on Temporary Aid	\$4,667.01
Due from State on Mothers' Aid	2,292.16
Due from Other Towns	2,737.18
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	\$9,696.35

We herewith submit our estimates for the year 1937.  
 Old Age Assistance \$17,000.00

Mothers' Aid and Aid to	
Dependent Children	6,000.00
Public Welfare	37,000.00
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	\$60,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. DAILEY,  
LOUIS M. VENDETTI,  
WILLIAM L. PECK,

Board of Public Welfare.

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### REPORT OF W. P. A. CERTIFYING AGENT

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To the Board of Public Welfare:

I hereby submit my report of the certifications of persons eligible for employment on W. P. A.

In the early part of 1936 all certifications were made by the District Office in Boston. Since Sept. 1, 1936, when the responsibility for certifying persons in need was given to the local authorities, 170 new applications have been taken and 108 of these were certified. 78 old cases have been re-investigated and re-certified.

There are still many worthy persons seeking employment who have not been assigned to a W.P.A. project because of the restrictions governing certifications and assignments at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
Certifying Officer.



## REPORT OF THE WORKS PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION

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During the year 1936 the greatest number of persons employed at one time was 146. In May a general reduction of quota was made throughout the State and our personnel was cut to 65. At present we have 84 persons on the payroll.

From 4 to 16 men were employed on P.W.A. grade crossing and road construction projects located in Sharon, Foxboro, Walpole and Medfield. The cost of transporting these men was \$206.93.

Several young women were given an 8 weeks course in care of the home, planning and serving meals, laundry work, etc. The instructions were held in Walpole and were given by trained supervisors on a Household Training School project. \$73.65 was spent for transportation of pupils.

25 men have been employed since November on a State Roadside Beautification project on Route 140 and 18 men on State-wide Sidewalks in Bellingham and Holliston.

\$67.28 was spent in connection with a Brown-tail Moth Control project sponsored by the State.

Under E.R.A. in 1935 the Legion Hall was repaired and in connection with this a lumber bill of \$115.45 was paid during 1936. \$35.96 was paid for lumber used in the bath-house at the swimming pool.

In the report of the Highway Department will be found a record of contributions made from their appropriation to the various projects.

The figures given below are taken from our books.

O.P. 65-14-2696 Advice 1052

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
5014	\$2,379.63	\$511.40	\$2891.03

Reconstruction of Pond Street from Corbett's Corner to West Central St. 1½ acres grubbing and clearing were completed. 50 ft. concrete pipe was laid. 1000 cu. yd. graveling was done and 25 cu. yd. trench excavation. In June this project was closed because of a reduction in our quota. Some drainage is to be installed and approximately 1300 cu. yd. graveling to be done and the entire surface rolled and finished.

O.P. 65-14-3150 Advice 1850

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
5913	\$2,498.93	\$907.49	\$3,406.42

The work on this project consisted of 259 cu. yd. of ledge excavation on Summer Street in front of John Laundry, James Brogan and M. Milliken property, to correct conditions resulting from work done on this street under C.W.A. 47 cu. yd. stone masonry, 4.75 cu. yd. cement masonry and 112 sq. yd. gravel sidewalk was completed in front of same property. 400 lin. ft. cable guard rail was erected and 1 catch basin built to correct a hazardous condition left by C.W.A. 565 sq. yd. concrete sidewalk was laid on the easterly side of the street.

O.P. 65-14-2724 Adv. 1862

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
8274	\$3,862.07	\$81.61	\$3,943.67

The work on this project consists of continuing Crocker Ave. as originally laid out by the Town. ½ acre of grubbing and clearing and approximately 1000 cu. yd. excavation was completed. 40 ft. 15" corrugated pipe was installed. There has been 1600 cu. yd. graveling done. An application has been made to the WPA District Office for additional funds to complete this project.

O.P. 65-14-2594 Adv. 1868

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
4751	\$2,308.20	\$320.40	\$2,628.60

A total of 324 cords of wood were chopped and corded on Forest, Maple and Short Streets and distributed through the Welfare Department to the needy families in Town.

O.P. 165-14-8059 Adv. 10318

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
788	\$425.52	\$14.56	\$440.08

This project was started on Nov. 12, 1936 and to date 57 cords of wood have been cut on Daniels Street and turned over to the Welfare Department.

O.P. 65-14-3161 Adv. 2086

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
2785	\$1,371.02	\$594.13	\$1,965.15

This project was for manufacture of concrete pipe for use of the Highway Department and the Playground Committee. On Nov. 25th the project was closed because of excessive cost of pipe.

O.P. 65-14-2590 Adv. 1870

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
12503	\$6,377.56	\$726.55	\$7,104.11

This project was to correct a great many deplorable water conditions existing on Alpine Place, Highland St., Fisher St., Lewis St., Farrington St., Union St., and King St. The work consisted of laying 1961 ft. 12" pipe, 1300 ft. 15" pipe, building 9 manholes and 15 catch basins.

O.P. 65-14-2695 Adv. 2330

Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
6147	\$2,776.79	\$168.00	\$2,944.79

The work on this project was to continue Alpine Place Extension to Milliken Avenue as originally planned. ½ acre was grubbed and cleared. 1000 cu. yd. of graveling and 1000 cu. yd. of excavation have been completed. Approximately 1300 cu. yd. graveling and 2500 sq. yd. rolling and finishing remain to be done.

O.P. 65-14-6061	Adv. 2456		
Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
8028	\$5,381.59	\$170.37	\$5,551.96

Work on this project started the latter part of January 1936. To date a complete survey of the business district has been made and maps of the same are now being compiled. Surveys of the higher valued residential districts is almost completed and road surveys have been made for some of the lower valued territories. It is expected that the assessors will make use of their maps in the business sections for their 1937 tax compilation. The work has been carried on by a very limited personnel.

O.P. 65-14-8961	Adv. 8781		
Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
1094	\$585.69	0	\$585.69

During the summer a swimming instructor was in charge at the Joseph G. Ray Swimming Pool to give free instructions to the many children who frequented the pool. Two life guards and two beach attendants were also on duty to assist in keeping order. During the warmest weather approximately 200 persons enjoyed the pool daily.

### Sewing

O.P. 65-14-5579	Adv. 4264	
Hours	Federal Wages	Federal Material
38407	\$17,792.70	\$6,503.07
	Town	Total
	\$128.75	\$24,424.52

An average of 28 women were employed on this project during the year. We have 18 sewing machines, many of them loaned by various organizations and families in town. The articles made on the project include Men's and Boys' pants, dungarees, overalls, jackets and shirts, women's nightgowns, sheets, pillow cases. There were 4896 Men's, 3463 Boys' and 213 Women's garments made. Also 840 Domestic articles. On December 13th the money allocated to this project was exhausted and the entire personnel was assigned to the new project.

**Sewing**

165-14-7103	Adv. 10054	Started 12/14/1936
Federal		Total
\$668.82		\$668.82

At present there are 20 women employed and since December 14, 1936, when this project started, 330 Men's and Boys' garments, 13 Women's garments and 66 Domestic articles have been made.

O.P. 65-14-8505	Adv. 8800		
Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
2735	\$1,403.20	\$42.78	\$1,145.98

This project is for roadside grubbing along various streets in the outlying districts. The project has been in operation since November 27th and to date approximately 5 acres have been grubbed on Beech, Pond and Partridge Streets.

O.P. 65-14-3660	Adv. 10322		
Hours	Federal Funds	Town Funds	Total
869	\$434.50	\$39.87	\$474.37

On December 17th work was started on our West Central Street Surface Drainage project. To date 250 cu. yd. of trench excavation has been done and 248 lin. ft. of 42" pipe laid. A steam shovel has been used for part of the excavation.

O.P. 65-14-1061	Adv. 9839		
Farm to Market Roads.			
Federal Wages	\$10,557.00	State Labor	Town Total
" Material	238.04	(Supervision)	
" Equipment			
Hire	1,195.50		
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	\$11,990.54	\$276.25	\$2,250.93 \$14,517.72

This work consists of widening streets, grubbing sides of roads and making general improvements in country roads. About 1½ miles on Daniels Street was gravelled and new culverts built. 1 mile was gravelled



and 1 new culvert built on both Jordan and Mill Streets. Miller Street and Prospect Street were gravelled and new culverts installed. Mount Street was gravelled and 4 culverts built. At present we are working on South Street and 2 culverts have been built.

Unexpended balance Jan. 1, 1936	\$223.64
Appropriation	\$10,000.00
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	\$10,223.64
Expenditures	\$8,945.35
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Balance Dec. 31, 1936	\$ 1,278.29

### **Pond Street**

Genaro DeBaggis, truck hire	\$430.50	
George L. Sims,		
Sharpening tools	17.40	
Amos Bartlett, Gravel	63.50	
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		\$511.40

### **Summer Street**

E. Oulette	\$6.00	
B. Holden	6.00	
J. A. Geb	2.45	
Genaro DeBaggis	459.38	
William Berndt	109.50	
John Wright	17.50	
George L. Sims	37.55	
Percy Lloy	11.00	
Franklin Lumber Co.	17.15	
A. J. Cataldo Sons	21.87	
W. K. Gilmore Sons	9.50	
State Prison Colony	18.75	
O. A. Lefleur	36.65	
James T. Dauphinee	20.50	
Frank Bent	19.50	
Carlo Ristaino	98.00	
A. C. Dana & Son	1.35	
John F. Brogan	14.84	
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		\$907.49

**Crocker Avenue and  
Hayes Street**

George L. Sims	\$75.10
Franklin Lumber Co.	3.16
M. F. Ellis & Co.	3.35

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\$81.61

**Wood Cutting 165-14-8059**

John A. Geb	\$8.98
A. J. Cataldo Sons	5.58

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\$14.56

**Wood Chopping 65-14-2594**

John A. Geb	\$22.14
A. J. Cataldo Sons	.60
Fred C. Clark	42.50
George L. Sims	41.50
W. A. Pond	62.50
Harry Davis	.76
Dr. David Pinsky	
$\frac{1}{2}$ cost of lot	150.00
Bartlett & Fales	.40

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\$320.40

**Drainage 65-14-2590**

A. J. Cataldo Sons	\$2.70
Oliver's Express	.50
Parker-Danner Co.	45.08
Franklin Lumber Co.	45.85
W. K. Gilmore & Son	258.88
Genaro DeBaggis	103.50
George L. Sims	41.30
John A. Geb	38.65
Kingman Hardware Co.	4.64
Southeastern Construction Co.	57.00
M. F. Ellis & Co.	1.12
Frank Bent	15.75

Chase-Parker Co.	31.58
Central Iron Foundry	72.00
James T. Dauphinee & Sons	8.00

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\$726.55

### **Cement Pipe**

John F. Brogan	\$ .50
W. H. Clark Co.	8.75
Percy G. Lloy	14.25
John Wright	123.40
Franklin Lumber Co.	417.28
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	26.00
George L. Sims	.35
O. A. Lefleur	3.60

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\$594.13

### **Alpine Place Extension**

John A. Geb	\$2.10
A. J. Cataldo, Sons	7.30
William Berndt	99.00
Harry Bright	8.00
John Wright	24.80
Charles J. McCarthy Co.	26.80

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\$168.00

### **Assessors**

Franklin Lumber Co.	\$2.52
B. L. Makepeace Inc.	48.17
A. J. Cataldo Sons	1.50
A. C. Mason	5.33
J. A. Geb	.50
Franklin Furniture Co.	4.50
Kingman Hardware Co.	2.85
Herman Razee	105.00

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\$170.37

**Sewing 65-14-5579**

Incidentals	\$5.00	
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	3.75	
F. C. Henderson Co.	110.56	
Leslie Wiggin	5.00	
Kingman Hardware Co.	2.15	
G. I. Peck	.79	
A. Baillargeon	1.50	
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		\$128.75

**Roadside Grubbing**

Chase-Parker & Co.	\$20.58	
George L. Sims	16.70	
A. J. Cataldo Sons	5.50	
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		\$42.78

**West Central Street  
Drainage**

W. K. Gilmore & Sons	\$6.90	
Harry Davis	7.90	
A. J. Cataldo Sons	12.25	
Kingman Hardware Co.	12.82	
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		\$39.87

**Grove Street Fence 65-14-2451**

George C. Rhodes	\$27.50	
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		\$27.50

**Farm to Market Roads**

O. A. Lefleur	\$10.50
Kingman Hardware Co.	15.68
Harry Davis	22.50
Percy Lloy	265.63
John F. Brogan	567.47
W. H. Clark & Co.	4.10
Buffalo-Springfield Roller Co.	295.30

Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	429.88
M. F. Ellis & Co.	16.82
Railway Express Co.	9.95
Harvey Sales & Service Co.	7.45
John A. Geb	2.45
George L. Sims	27.42
Norman MacDonald	91.10
White Motor Co.	32.26
William Berndt	120.00
Tide Water Co.	29.95
Genaro DeBaggis	65.50
Parker-Danner & Co.	15.72
P. I. Perkins Co.	106.75
John Wright	45.00
Edward Revelle	66.00
Glenn Shaw	1.00
A. J. Cataldo Sons	2.50

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\$2,250.93

### **Commodity Distribution**

J. J. Newberry Co.	\$11.00
James E. Greene	25.55
Woonsocket Paper Co.	34.00
W. H. Chisholm	1.00
Hobbs & Warren	3.95
Franklin Lumber Co.	.67
J. A. Geb	2.45

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\$78.62

### **Gas for Transportation to PWA Jobs**

Joe's Auto Station	\$197.99
Clarence Arnold	1.05
Harris' Garage	7.89

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\$206.93

### **Brown-tail Moth Control**

Joe's Auto Station	\$40.50
A. J. Cataldo Sons	20.78



George L. Sims	1.00
John W. Stobbart	5.00

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\$67.28

### Office Expenses

Stewart Press	\$1.40
A. C. Mason	8.75
Hobbs & Warren Inc.	6.04
James Scott	23.40
Franklin Lumber Co.	12.81
Sentinel Press, Inc.	9.75
Florence M. Chisholm	1,096.08
J. J. Newberry Co.	.85
G. I. Peck	.52
Greenwood Typewriter	
Exchange	1.50
Alfred I. Duxbury	2.40
Phillips Ribbon and	
Carbon Co.	1.80
L. C. Smith & Corona Co.	44.55
Union Light & Power Co.	89.35
N. E. Telephone &	
Telegraph Co.	217.23

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\$1,516.43

### Legion Hall

Franklin Lumber Co.	\$115.45
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\$115.45

### Household Training School

N. Y., N. H. & H.	
Railroad Co.	\$73.65

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\$73.65

### Bath-house

Franklin Lumber Co.	\$35.96
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\$35.96

**Medical Supplies**

A. C. Mason	\$27.29
A. C. Dana & Son	4.75

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 \$32.04
**Chestnut Street**

Franklin Lumber Co.	28.65
John F. Brogan	6.47
Federal Steam & Gas Supply Co.	101.56
George L. Sims	10.20
Reilly's Express	1.66

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 \$148.54
**Sidewalks**

George L. Sims	\$11.70
Blanchard Bros. Granite Co.	135.35
Percy G. Lloy	38.00
Franklin Lumber Co.	66.95
Carlo Ristaino	37.31
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	26.00

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 \$315.31
**Miscellaneous**

A. J. Cataldo Sons	\$11.32
Clark-Cutler-McDermott Co.	1.15
James Pasquantonio	4.95
Harry Bullukian Sons	111.88
Water Department	8.91
Kingman Hardware Co.	3.70
G. I. Peck	.19
Warren Thayer	3.60
J. A. Geb	4.96
Percy Lloy	90.00
Dudley Bardstreet	3.50
G. DeBaggis	49.50
O. Gildersleeve	13.50
Franklin Lumber Co.	4.13

Henry Cusson	15.00	
A. J. Cataldo Sons	8.84	
Massachusetts		
Drinking Cup Co.	8.82	
W. T. Grant Co.	1.25	
George L. Sims	11.40	
John A. Geb	7.60	
Reilly's Express	.35	
Woonsocket Paper Co.	3.25	
Frank Bent	3.00	
		\$370.80

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

## FEDERAL COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION

From January 2, 1936 to January 4, 1937.

### Analysis of Case Load

Total number of distribution cases	349	
Total number of persons represented		1497
Total number of active cases at date	206	
Total number of persons represented		861
Total number of inactive cases at date	143	
Total number of persons represented		636

### Clothing 1936

Bloomers, Girls' and Women's	\$343.75
Blouses, Girls' Cotton and Jersey	26.00

Dresses, Girls' Cotton and Jersey	747.00
Dresses, Women's Cotton	983.75
Handkerchiefs	5.25
Jackets, Men's and Women's	22.00
Layettes and Maternity Bundles	142.00
Diapers	16.25
Nightgowns, men's women's and children's	657.25
Pajamas, Adults and Children	1,898.50
Pants, Men's and Boys'	440.00
Overalls and Dungarees, Men's and Boys'	1,296.75
Men's Denim Jumpers	101.25
Quilts	180.00
Pillow Slips	333.90
Sheets	589.20
Shirts, Men's and Boys'	948.15
Shorts, Men's and Boys'	88.75
Suits, Boys' Cotton and Jersey Play	276.25
Rompers	61.10
Slips, Women's and Girls	424.45
Smocks	33.00
Sweaters, Men's and Boys'	847.50
Towels	35.00
Jerseys, Men's Athletic	13.80
Ironing Board Covers	6.00

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\$10,516.85

### Food 1936

Apples, 5,175 lbs.	\$258.75
Beans, 1,498 lbs.	89.88
Roast Beef (Cans) 10,604 lbs.	1,590.60
Butter, 2,408 lbs.	939.12
Cheese, 600 lbs .	180.00
Eggs, 300 Dozen	90.00
Evaporated Milk, 1,056 (cans)	88.00
Flour, 448 (bags)	604.80
Hamburger, 736 lbs.	88.32
Oatmeal, 300 lbs.	15.00
Onions, 2,350 lbs.	47.00

Peas, Dried, 2,076 lbs.	124.56	
Prunes, 1,441 lbs.	129.69	
Soup, Vegetable (Cans) 454	45.40	
Turnips, 4,553 lbs.	91.06	
Grape-Fruit, 27,232 lbs.	1,361.60	
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		\$5,743.78
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		\$16,260.63

Respectfully submitted,

RACHEL E. GREENE

Chief Clerk.

CHARLES E. DAILEY

Chairman,

Board of Public Welfare

Sponsor's Agent

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF PLAYGROUND COMMITTEE

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To the Citizens of the Town of Franklin:

Not being able to obtain a W.P.A. project the past year, your committee continued the work of draining, grading and seeding Fletcher Field with money from the Fletcher Fund.

With the exception of filling in the places that have settled where the sub-soil was soft and spongy, we find nearly 11 acres of the field completed. The cost of mowing and the care of the completed section increases from year to year, thus, as we go on, we have less money to carry on the construction work.



Over fifty percent of the water that caused the swampy condition of the field came from the southeast corner. The water congregates in this corner, being held back by a ledge that extends diagonally across this section of the field. It was the seepage from here down through the middle of the field that caused our greatest water hazard. By piping through the ledge and by the aid of side drains and wells this seepage has been eliminated with gratifying results. Last Fall heavily loaded trucks passed over sections where formerly a man could hardly pass. The trucks did practically no damage to the present turf.

There was no pipe made for the playground the past year. All of the 980 feet available was laid. A trench of 326 feet was dug in the ledge, five catch basins and wells were constructed, and about three acres finished, graded and seeded.

It is the intention of your committee this coming year to get in touch with a playground architect to assure the proper laying out of the ground.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE R. ROTH  
JACOB F. GEB  
DR. CARL E. RICHARDSON  
DR. JOHN M. CROWLEY  
HARRY J. GEB

## REPORT OF THE FRANKLIN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FOR THE YEAR 1936

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### Officers of the Franklin Library Association for year 1936

President	Mr. Prince Crowell
Vice-President	Dr. R. K. Marvin
Secretary	Miss Alice Wiggin
Treasurer	Mr. A. W. Hale

### Directors

Miss Maud Stott	Mrs. Susie Rich
Mrs. O. T. Doe	Mrs. U. L. Burns
Mr. K. P. Doe	

### Library Hours

Every day except Sundays and Holidays  
2.00 to 5.30 — 7.00 to 9.00 P. M.

### Statistics

Number of Borrowers	1264
Circulation	23169
Books added	
Purchase	393
Gifts	17
Other sources	120
Total	530

### Donors

American Liberty League  
Atlantic Monthly  
Chemical Foundation  
Cornhill Publishing Co.  
Scribner's  
State House

George N. Peek (author)  
Augustus Jones  
Alfred W. Dana  
Theodore Roth  
Robert Cummings  
Benjamin Taft  
Peter Pasquantonio

This past year a new Librarian, a recent graduate of Simmons College, has succeeded Miss Myrtie Daniels, retired as Librarian Emeritus after many years of service as assistant and as librarian. Several changes have been made with the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the library. It is the desire of the Association that the library be useful to the citizens of Franklin in as great a degree as the funds at the disposal of the committees will permit. For the year 1937, the Association respectfully petitions the Town of Franklin for the sum of \$1800.00 to assist in defraying the expenses of the library. Before the Town of Franklin can participate in the generous gift to the library for which provision was made in the will of the late Mrs. Lydia Ray Peirce, some time must, of course, elapse, so it may be necessary to ask the Town for a further appropriation to help maintain the Library Building until such time as the funds become legally available. Through the generosity of the Ray Family, Franklin's Library appropriation has been for many years only a third of that for most towns the size of Franklin, so that the extra appropriation, if temporarily necessary, would be no more than towns nearby appropriate every year for the support of their libraries.

By vote of the Association

ALICE WIGGIN,

Clerk.

**RESOLUTIONS ON THE DEATH OF  
LYDIA P. RAY PEIRCE  
ADOPTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE  
FRANKLIN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION  
HELD IN RAY MEMORIAL BUILDING,  
FRANKLIN, MASS., JANUARY 14, 1937.**

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Whereas, our esteemed friend, member, official, and benefactor, Lydia P. Ray Peirce, passed away on December 18, 1936; and

Whereas, said Lydia P. Ray Peirce and her sister, Annie Ray Thayer (who is now and for many months past has been confined to a bed of illness) caused to be erected, some thirty-two years ago, this Ray Memorial Building, dedicating it to the use of the Library, which is a free public library for the inhabitants, students and sojourners in Franklin and vicinity; and

Whereas, during said long period the Library, inhabitants of the Town, students, and others have had free use and occupation of the building, without any expense or charge whatsoever;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved:

1. That the Franklin Library Association hereby expresses its deep and sincere sorrow for the loss sustained by the death of this generous, long-standing member and official.

2. That the Association hereby expresses its thanks and appreciation, not only for the free use of the Ray Memorial Building, without any expense for maintenance, heating, lighting, or otherwise, but also for the innumerable gifts and beneficences bestowed on the

Library by Mrs. Peirce and her sister, Mrs. Thayer, and for their unstinted self-sacrifice in behalf of the Library and the Library Association; all of which has inured to the benefit of the entire Community of Franklin.

3. That a copy of these Resolutions be spread on the records of the Association, and published in the local press.

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## THIRTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONERS

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

During the year all the remaining cement lined main pipes in the system were replaced with cast iron pipe. On Anthony, Lee, Stubbs and Reid Streets all the 1¼" wrought iron pipe was replaced with cast iron pipe. The new replacements of cement lined pipe with cast iron pipe were as follows:

West Street, from East to West Central Street,	1200 ft. of 6" pipe.
Arlington Street, from Union to Wachusett,	1000 ft. of 6" pipe.
Peck Street, from Winter to house #106,	700 ft. of 6" pipe.
Queen Street, from Pleasant to Crescent,	800 ft. of 6" pipe.

Replacements of small wrought iron pipe with cast iron pipe were as follows:

Anthony Street, from Pinehurst to Julia Ave.,	200 ft. of 6" pipe.
Lee Street, from Farrington to Stubbs,	380 ft. of 6" pipe.



Stubbs Street, from Lee to Reid,	450 ft. of 6" pipe.
Reid Street, from Stubbs to Beaver,	250 ft. of 6" pipe.
Pinehurst Street, from Moore Ave. to Anthony,	200 ft. of 6" pipe.

As all of this work was done to replace the old pipe, the expense was carried on our books as main maintenance, material and labor. The total number of feet of 6" cast iron pipe laid during the year was 5,180 feet. The dead end on Church Avenue was connected to West Street and the dead end on Howard Street was connected to Arlington Street. By making these two connections it will give better fire protection to the nearby property. At present approximately one-half of Hutchinson Street on the Union Street end is supplied with a small wrought iron pipe that has been in use for many years. We think that it would be good judgment to replace this pipe with 6" cast iron pipe and make a connection to the 6" cast iron main on the easterly end of the street which is now connected to Wachusett and Howard Streets. One new hydrant should be located on this street midway between Union and Howard Streets.

We also recommend that a 6" cast iron pipe be laid on Pinehurst Street from Anthony Street and one hydrant installed on the northerly end making it beneficial for flushing as well as for fire protection in this section. On account of the high elevation causing low pressure on this street and being supplied with only a 1¼" pipe, we feel that this work should be done as soon as possible.

### Water Services

Five new house connections were installed during the year, all being of the 1¼" cement lined type. These added to the system make a total of 1,414 at the end of the year.

On the several streets where the mains were renewed, all services were renewed in the street if they were not in fair condition. Several services were renewed to the

cellar wall and the labor and material were paid for by the owner of the property.

### **Meters**

The majority of the meters being approximately 25 years old, we find that they require more repairs than in previous years. After the semi-annual meter reading period, all meters found stopped and all others indicating that they were registering less than normal, were removed, tested and repaired. Due to the above condition, the cost of the maintenance of the meters is greater than when they were first installed.

### **Hydrants**

Two extra hydrants were added to the system, now making a total of 200 public hydrants. One of these was installed on the south side of Stubbs Street midway between Lee and Reid Streets. The other one was installed on the north side of Anthony Street near Julia Avenue. The location of one hydrant on Lewis Avenue was changed and installed on the dead end to make it possible to flush the complete line of pipe to better advantage.

All the public hydrants were tested in October. Several were found to be in need of repair and this was done as soon as the damage was discovered. We wish to emphasize the fact once more, as we have several times in the past, that no hydrant should be opened for any purpose without the knowledge of someone connected with the department.

All the hydrants were painted once during the year. As far as we know, they are in good condition for the winter months.

### **Pumping Station**

No additions were made and no special repairs done to the equipment during the year. The pumping station and the out-buildings were given a coat of paint. We intend to give the house a coat of paint during the coming year.

On account of supplying the Hayward mill with a separate system by taking water from Beaver Pond, the domestic or high pressure supply was considerably reduced. The new low pressure mill system that was installed in 1935 has worked very satisfactorily for the Hayward mill and also for the town by cutting down the hours of pumping for the domestic or high pressure supply. This in turn eliminated an excessive drain on the wells which quite noticeably felt the effects of the dry summer. In our opinion, one or two more wells installed at the present well site may be of advantage.

### **Domestic Supply**

There were 198,399,000 gallons of water pumped into the domestic system during the year, this amount being 46,158,000 gallons less than in the year 1935. This was caused, as we have mentioned before, by supplying the Hayward mill from Beaver Pond instead of from the domestic supply. The largest day's pumping was on June 15, 1936, when 1,383,000 gallons were pumped.

### **Mill System**

During the year the low pressure pump delivered 43,047,000 gallons of water to the Hayward mill. Unfortunately for the Hayward Company and the Town of Franklin, through no fault of this department, no water was furnished the mill through this system for several months.

### **Wells**

Several of the well connections were taken out and cleaned. Some of the wells were cleaned from time to time during the summer. Considerable work was done on the #2 well and now it seems to be furnishing its normal supply of water.

### **Stand Pipes**

The iron ladders on both of the stand pipes were painted during the summer to keep them from rusting. No other work was done other than mowing the grass and keeping the grounds in fair condition.

### Water Analysis

Samples taken at Pumping Station.

Parts in 1,000,000	Feb.	June	Oct.
Residue on Evaporation	50.	45.	53.
Free Ammonia	.004	.004	.014
Albumenoids	.018	.008	.010
Chlorine	5.6	4.1	4.8
Nit. as Nitrates	.10	.15	.3
Nit. as Nitrites	.000	.000	.000
Hardness	23.	23.	26.
Iron	.30	.25	.40
Color	.0	.0	.0

### Rainfall for 1936

Elevation of rain gauge, 240 feet above sea level.

Jan. 7.78	Feb. 2.80	Mar. 8.58	April 2.77	May 2.06	June 2.26
July 1.57	Aug. 7.63	Sept. 5.14	Oct. 1.81	Nov. 1.32	Dec. 8.96

Average rainfall annually from 1923 to 1933, 40.38 inches

Rainfall for 1936 ..... 52.58 inches

Amount of rainfall above normal ..... 12.3 inches

We recommend that the town raise and appropriate the sum of THIRTY-FOUR THOUSAND Dollars, (\$34,000.00) for the maintenance and operation of the Water Department, including water debt and interest and in addition thereto, the salaries of the Water Commissioners, said sum to be provided for by the transfer of TEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR dollars, THIRTY-NINE cents, (\$10,944.39) from the Water Department surplus and the balance of TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND, FIFTY-FIVE dollars, SIXTY-ONE cents, (\$23,055.61) to be taken from the Water Department revenue of 1937.

### Sewers

Twice during the year the dead end sewer mains were flushed with town water to keep them clean and free from any deposits that may cause clogging or obstruction of the free flow of sewage. No main sewers were

found to be in bad condition. Several house connections became clogged and most of these were cleaned by the department, a few being cleaned by plumbers. Seven new house connections were added to the system, now making a total of 867.

### **Sewer Beds**

During the year both the Mine Brook and the Timnah Brook beds have been maintained and operated in practically the same routine as in previous years. All beds were harrowed and the surface loosened several times and the necessary cleaning off of stone and sludge was done in the usual manner. We desire to mention the fact that there are five beds at the Unionville plant that have never been rebuilt since they were installed in the year 1914. In our estimation at least one of these beds should be remodeled and resurfaced each year until all have been through the same process.

We recommend the appropriation of SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$7,000.00) for the maintenance and operation of the sewers and sewer beds, including the reconstruction of #9 bed and in addition thereto, the salaries of the Water and Sewer Commissioners.

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF WATER AND SEWER  
COMMISSIONERS.

FRED P. CHAPMAN, Chairman  
LEWIS J. CATALDO  
ARTHUR A. KEEFE

January 18, 1937.



## ANNUAL REPORT OF AUDITOR

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January 1, 1937.

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To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:—

As Auditor of the Town of Franklin I have checked the figures covering the receipts and expenditures for the year ending December 31, 1936.

The cash has been verified and the figures herewith submitted are correct.

Signed,

HENRY V. GREGORY,  
Town Auditor.

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Each year as I perform the duties of Town Auditor I endeavor to improve the system of auditing the Town Accounts, and also to explain in greater detail in the Annual Town Report the expenditures of the citizens' money.

Last year I devised a method of keeping the Auditor's Records whereby one can quickly find, in detail, the expenditures of the town for the current year.

Having completed the Audit of 1936 I wish to state that I have compiled the same Time-Saving-Ledger for 1936 as 1935. This Ledger will be kept in the town officers' rooms, where it is available to town officers and citizens.

I have included in this Annual Report the Salaries of the School Teachers. It will be noted that this is the first time since 1923 that the teachers' salaries have been published in the Town Report.

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## CONCISE FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN

**As of January 1, 1936 and December 31, 1936.**

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Balance January 1, 1936 (Cash, Bank Deposits, and Trust funds)	\$91,491.97
Total receipts during 1936	612,823.33
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	Total
Expenditures during 1936	\$704,315.30
	642,712.08
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Balance December 31, 1936 (Cash, Bank Deposits, and Trust funds)	\$61,603.22

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## SCHOOL TEACHERS' SALARIES

Salaries which the teachers are to be paid for the school year of 1936 and 1937 (e.g. September 1936 to June 1937).

### **Superintendent**

Arthur W. Hale	\$2,660.00
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### **Franklin High School**

Albert T. Patty, Principal	\$3,250.00
Charles F. Frazer, Sub Master	1,900.00

James J. Doherty	1,900.00
John F. Rogers	1,700.00
Smith W. Ames	1,400.00
George H. Colbert	1,450.00
Joseph De Pasqua	1,300.00
Robert A. Hancock	1,000.00
Alice Wiggin	1,900.00
Dorothy M. Anderson	1,400.00
Marion E. Lawrence	1,400.00
Marion Littlefield	1,500.00
Priscilla Bullukian	1,400.00
Helen M. Crowley	1,200.00
Doris M. Hathaway	1,500.00
Marion Holmes	1,000.00
Marie C. Hyde	1,000.00
Frances Keefe	900.00

#### **Franklin Junior High School**

J. Etta McCabe, Principal	\$1,900.00
Elizabeth J. Howard	1,450.00
Mary L. Doherty	1,450.00
Mary L. Emery	1,450.00
Charles R. Masi	1,325.00
Ruth T. Goddard	1,125.00
Margaret L. Thoren	1,135.00
Helen M. Angell	975.00
Margaret F. Lennon	1,075.00
Helen L. Leary	900.00

#### **Horace Mann School**

Gertrude A. Curtis	\$1,400.00
Ethel K. Foster	1,350.00
E. Mildred Herbert	1,350.00
Mildred E. Mullin	1,350.00
Dollie S. Carroll	1,400.00
May E. Lennon	1,350.00
Marion G. Jordan	1,200.00
Helen L. Cataldo	925.00

#### **Thayer School**

Maud Stott	\$1,400.00
Vivian A. Rogers	1,350.00

Lucile Cook	1,125.00
Marie Leary	1,125.00

**Nason Street School**

Beulah A. Woodward	\$1,400.00
Margaret H. Donahue	1,350.00
Katherine D. Griffin	1,175.00
Helen D. Shea	1,350.00

**Arlington Street School**

Emma J. Holmes	\$1,400.00
S. Irene Keefe	875.00
Ruth H. Cleary	1,275.00
Mary S. Vanston	1,350.00

**Four Corners School**

Maud L. Granger	\$1,400.00
Marion Carpenter	1,275.00
Margaret M. Hart	1,350.00
Eleanor M. Thayer	1,225.00

**Brick School**

Edith L. Metcalf	\$1,350.00
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**North Franklin School**

Belle G. Nowland	\$1,350.00
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**Supervisor of Music**

Marie F. Riley	\$825.00
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**Supervisor of Drawing**

Irene K. Wight	\$1,200.00
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**Supervisor of Physical Training**

Alice L. Beane	\$1,075.00
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**Supervisor of Physical Training**

Howard J. Laundry	\$1,125.00
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**School Nurse**

Nellie I. Saunders	\$1,072.00
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# DEPARTMENTAL ANALYSIS

Departments	Appropriated	Expended Unexpended
School	\$114,998.00	\$109,817.02 \$ 5,170.98
		Plus
		Dog Licenses
		961.26
Sewer	4,500.00	4,500.00
Highways	18,000.00	17,999.73
Tarvia	10,000.00	9,978.69
Fire	10,000.00	9,999.56
Forest Fire	1,000.00	999.75
Police	12,500.00	14,508.87
Selectmen	2,500.00	2,418.74
Assessors	2,100.00	1,701.77
Collector	3,225.00	3,225.00
Treasurer	2,300.00	2,297.15
Sealer	350.00	350.00
Clerk	550.00	550.00
Auditor	300.00	300.00
Town Hall	500.00	268.46
Health	2,500.00	2,492.48
Elections and Registrations	1,200.00	1,199.22
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# DEPARTMENTAL ANALYSIS (Continued)

Departments	Appropriated	Expended	Unexpended
Gypsy Moth	1,000.00	971.23	28.07
City Mills Cemetery	100.00	99.43	.57
Street Lights	11,000.00	10,216.95	783.05
Finance Accounts	90.00	56.84	33.16
Interest	12,000.00	8,393.87	3,606.13
Commons	300.00	300.00	
Inspection of School Children	400.00	400.00	
Memorial Day			
Municipal Indebtedness	29,500.00	29,500.00	
Library	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Town Reports	674.64	674.64	
Law	500.00	121.60	378.40
Inspection of Animals	225.00	225.00	
Union Street Cemetery	150.00	150.00	
Welfare	50,000.00	50,000.00	
Soldiers' Relief	8,000.00	7,237.32	762.68
W. P. A.	10,000.00	8,721.71	1,278.29
		Reserve	
		223.64	
Surface Drain, West Central Street	4,000.00	434.68	3,565.32
Police Department Car	800.00	737.66	62.34

# DEPARTMENTAL ANALYSIS (Concluded)

Departments	Appropriated	Expended Unexpended
Highway Department Equipment	3,500.00	3,500.00
Swimming Pool Land	105.08	105.08
Main Street Land Damages	880.00	880.00
Chestnut Street Land Damages	1,327.00	1,300.00
		27.00

## TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR 1936

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Municipal Taxes	\$277,362.03
Interest on Municipal Taxes	3,903.79
General Government	63,183.27
Miscellaneous	268,374.24
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Total	\$612,823.33

## RECEIPTS

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### General Revenue

#### Municipal Taxes

In account with Robert A. Doherty, Collector of Taxes.

#### Taxes for 1936 collected during 1936

Personal and Real	\$198,927.67
Excise	8,639.55
Poll	3,645.00
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Total	\$211,212.22

#### Taxes for 1935 collected during 1936

Personal and Real	\$44,748.35
Excise	972.11
Poll	398.00
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Total	\$46,118.46

#### Taxes for 1934 collected during 1936

Personal and Real	\$17,027.11
Excise	654.54
Poll	156.61
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Total	\$17,838.26

**Taxes for 1933 collected during 1936**

Personal and Real	\$1,715.48
Excise	289.79
Poll	48.00
Old Age	17.00
Total	<u>\$2,070.27</u>

**Taxes for 1932 collected during 1936**

Excise	\$114.82
Poll	8.00
Total	<u>\$122.82</u>

Collected for 1932 taxes	\$122.82
Collected for 1933 taxes	2,070.27
Collected for 1934 taxes	17,838.26
Collected for 1935 taxes	46,118.46
Collected for 1936 taxes	<u>\$211,212.22</u>

Total taxes collected during 1936 — — \$277,362.03

**INTEREST COLLECTED ON MUNICIPAL TAXES**

In account with Robert A. Doherty, Collector of Taxes

**Collected for 1936 taxes during 1936**

Personal and Real	\$86.45
Excise	19.16
Poll	.22
Total	<u>\$105.83</u>

**Collected for 1935 taxes during 1936**

Personal and Real	\$1,527.93
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Excise	54.62
Poll	33.27
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Total	\$1,615.82

**Collected for 1934 taxes during 1936**

Personal and Real	\$1,765.32
Excise	76.65
Poll	16.67
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Total	\$1,858.64

**Collected for 1933 taxes during 1936**

Personal and Real	\$241.40
Excise	48.72
Poll	3.89
Old Age	2.94
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Total	\$296.95

**Collected for 1932 taxes during 1936**

Excise	\$24.77
Poll	1.78
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Total	\$26.55

Interest collected on 1932 taxes	\$26.55
Interest collected on 1933 taxes	296.95
Interest collected on 1934 taxes	1,858.64
Interest collected on 1935 taxes	1,615.82
Interest collected on 1936 taxes	105.83
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Total interest collected in 1936 — — — \$3,903.79



## RECEIPTS

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### General Government

School	\$9,051.17
Welfare	8,953.55
Water	37,836.41
Police	400.45
Health	122.43
Selectmen	4,992.50
Soldier's Relief	1,259.17
Highway	25.00
Interest	542.59

Total	\$63,183.27
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### Miscellaneous

Tax Demands	\$46.20
Tax Advertising Costs	34.98
Participation Certificate	459.75
Tax Title Redemptions	9,747.17
Interest on Redemptions	1,126.83
U. S. Grant for Old Age Assistance	5,375.92
Revenue Notes	150,000.00
King Street	2,537.37
Chestnut Street	2,800.00
Land Court Refund	4.30
State License Return	65.00
Dog Officer Reimbursement	10.00
Fletcher Fund Interest	32.21
Fletcher Fund Income	2,181.61
Lucretia Pond Fund Interest	12.69
Lucretia Pond Fund Income	15.00
County Dog Licenses	961.26
Municipal Dog Licenses	1,288.40
Sealer of Weights and Measures	81.11
Ray School Insurance	15,000.00
Playground	.98
1936 Income Tax	22,389.03

Unclaimed Checks	1.00
Four Corners School P.W.A.	12,320.00
High School Addition P.W.A.	8,562.70
Loss of Taxes	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	131.35
Redemption Fee on Tax Title	1.00
Machinery Tax Abatement	1,561.01
1936 Business Corporation Tax	22,102.63
1936 Gas, Electric Light, and	
Water Tax	8,836.54
Race Track Distribution	680.74
Chestnut Street Refund	7.46
Total	<u>\$268,374.24</u>

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## EXPENDITURES

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An itemized account of all the money spent by the various town departments during the year 1936

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## SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated	\$114,998.00
Check from State	
for Dog Licenses	961.26
Total	<u>\$115,959.26</u>
Expenditures	<u>110,788.28</u>
Unexpended	\$5,170.98

## Summary of Expenditures

Teachers' Salaries,	
Paid from Jan. 1, 1936	
through Dec. 31, 1936	\$72,940.85

Payrolls, Janitors	8,374.75
Clerical	1,087.00
Fuel	5,540.45
Transportation	6,113.07
Repairs	3,212.64
Books and Supplies	8,520.27
Miscellaneous	4,999.25
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	\$110,788.28

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Janitors

Payrolls	\$8,374.75
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#### Clerical

Mary L. Molla	\$1,087.00
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#### Fuel

Union Light & Power Co.	\$909.27
Taunton Gas and Light Co.	34.01
Franklin Water Department	312.00
H. Bullukian & Sons	4,199.17
Orelle A. Lafleur	86.00
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Total	\$5,540.45

#### Transportation

Carl L. Harris	\$3,613.07
Johnson Bus Lines	2,500.00
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Total	\$6,113.07

#### Repairs

A. W. Robinson	\$412.33
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	4.50
F. G. Harris	36.90
Franklin Lumber Co.	357.05
A. J. Cataldo Sons	758.66
Kingman Hardware Co.	9.03
Fred L. Davis	52.10

Eldon D. Sewell	79.68
E. L. Blanchard	89.16
E. H. Ballard	6.50
William H. Clark & Co.	8.66
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	12.25
John J. McCarthy	7.00
Peter Jenest	2.00
Edward E. Babb	3.81
Dante Rovani	182.18
Charles M. Mason	2.25
The Standard Electric Time Co.	23.24
Combustion Control Corporation	200.00
H. C. Smith	190.00
Neil D. MacIvor	2.55
John D. Hutchinson	175.00
John F. Brogan	11.10
A. W. Howell	180.00
B. F. Davis	5.50
William F. Germain	377.71
The Powers Regulator Co.	13.48
Richard D. Porter	10.00
Total	<hr/> \$3,212.64

### Books and Supplies

Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	\$985.25
Silver Burdett & Co.	55.68
The MacMillan Co.	170.17
Houghton Mifflin Co.	72.83
Boston Saw and Knife Co.	17.12
Harper and Brothers	5.63
William M. Horner	10.75
Joseph Breck & Sons	2.40
Marion Littlefield	1.77
C. L. Judkins	371.71
Frost Office Appliance Co.	25.54
Brodhead Garrett Co.	1,083.42
D. C. Heath & Co.	282.72
Ginn & Co.	593.01
D. Appleton Century Co.	51.71
American Book Co.	556.86
Kendall Paper Co.	33.30
Phillips Ribbon and Carbon Co.	3.00

Phillips Paper Co.	20.91
Charles E. Merrill Co.	27.40
Lyons & Carnahan	38.05
Little, Brown & Co.	18.91
L. C. Smith & Corona Typewriters, Inc.	.75
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	13.93
National Education Association	4.97
National Geographic Society	6.00
M. F. Ellis & Co.	169.32
Standard Electric Time Co.	1.59
Horace Partridge	322.84
F. D. Ballou	23.40
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	9.65
Allyn & Bacon	68.13
Doubleday, Doren & Co., Inc.	5.27
The Holmerden Co.	4.09
Remington Rand, Inc.	21.00
Paul G. Olson	1.44
Charles Scribner's Sons	82.72
Frost & Bilek, Inc.	59.54
Alfred I. Duxbury	13.23
L. M. Glover Co., Inc.	192.99
The H. W. Wilson Co.	5.00
Oliver Ditson Co., Inc.	2.26
Beckly Cardy Co.	9.10
Americana Corporation	14.07
General Biological Supply House	1.07
World Book Co.	31.08
J. R. Rosen	76.60
Henry S. Wolkins Co.	159.49
Noble & Noble	4.79
The Manual Arts Press	1.20
The Bruce Publishing Co.	17.99
Reformatory for Women	34.66
Red Start Ribbon Co.	21.59
Wright & Potter Printing Co.	19.57
Carl L. Harris	8.89
C. B. Dolge Co.	1.50
J. B. Hunter Co.	26.15
A. C. Horn Co.	40.75
J. L. Hammett Co.	457.81
R. H. Hinckley Co.	25.00
Gurney Distributing Co.	14.70
Hygeia	5.00



The Baker & Taylor Co.	91.03
The Barrett Co.	130.55
Felco Supply Co.	34.67
Milton Bradley Co.	74.30
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	50.88
Gledhill Brothers, Inc.	197.00
Carl Fisher, Inc.	26.87
The John C. Winston Co.	15.05
L. W. Singer Co.	15.13
Row, Peterson & Co.	28.06
Melrose Brothers	14.76
J. B. Lippincott Co.	13.08
Laidlaw Brothers	24.00
Iroquois Publishing Co.	104.14
Beckley-Cardy Company	36.75
State Prison Colony	36.80
The Peck, Stow & Wilcox Co.	192.80
Gaylord Brothers Co.	33.95
The University of Chicago	2.50
Arthur P. Schmidt Co.	5.46
Underwood Elliott Fisher Co.	7.24
Buffington's, Inc.	3.30
The Frontier Press Co.	15.50
Singer Sewing Machine Co.	3.73
Newson & Company	2.18
Cambosco Scientific Co.	106.77
Central Scientific Co.	19.16
Chicago Apparatus Co.	30.26
Scott, Foresman & Co.	13.57
The Gregg Publishing Co.	7.60
American Education Press, Inc.	6.30
South Western Publishing Co.	35.93
The A. N. Palmer Co.	25.53
Harcourt, Brace & Co., Inc.	20.48
The George F. Crane Co.	12.64
Joseph Breck & Sons	2.04
The Welles Publishing Co.	28.88
Roy I. Gottschald	6.84
Harold Flammer	9.58
H. A. Dickerman & Son	1.07
The Boston Music Co.	6.57
The American School Board Journal	8.00
Adrian E. Fitzgerald	90.00
Building America	2.50

Harold Surgical Corp.	6.57
Gaylord Brothers, Inc.	22.50
Narragansett Machine Co.	45.81
Hub Wire Cloth and Wire Work Co.	56.10
Soapitor Company, Inc.	20.00
Kendall Paper Co.	53.16
Royal Typewriter Co., Inc.	160.00
Edward K. O'Laughlin	11.79
Edmund A. Nolting	2.15
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	13.85
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co.	100.00
Massachusetts Reformatory	24.50
Ivor Publishing Co.	3.12

Total	<hr/> \$8,520.27
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### Miscellaneous

N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co.	\$ .56
City of Boston	140.91
Economy Store	1.92
Reilly's Express	.85
Ideal Mower & Sales	8.57
A. C. Dana & Son	19.72
Peterson Insurance Agency	937.10
John A. Geb	24.42
Arthur H. Blanchard Co.	2.66
Orient Spray Co.	3.12
Felco Supply Co.	10.10
E & W Laundry	57.06
Clark, Cutler, McDermott Co.	28.38
Frank Bent	116.55
George U. Proal	46.00
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co.	2.02
Laura Crockett	38.00
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	185.81
Chamber of Commerce of U. S.	6.00
Albert C. Mason	15.49
J. J. Newberry Co.	18.03
Oliver's Express	3.70
G. I. Peck	104.18
Sentinel Press, Inc.	44.10
E. A. Carpenter	1.12
Westinghouse Electric and Mfg. Co.	38.20

Shawmut Specialty Co.	14.36
Soapitor Co., Inc.	19.80
The Specialty Co.	20.00
Davis Department Store	6.62
Arthur W. Hale	284.98
Mildred E. Mullin	5.00
John A. Anderson	2.00
Sherman Chevrolet Co.	586.50
Sims' Express	1.00
Webster Publishing Co.	22.98
Harris Garage and Battery Service	430.58
Davis' Hardware Co.	2.06
The Stewart Press	44.25
Estate of Miss Hilja Peterson	19.95
Walter E. Mitchell	491.48
John M. Riley	161.90
The Evening Call Publishing Co.	4.20
Harold G. Tupper	51.05
Percy G. Lloy	119.00
W. K. Gilmore & Sons, Inc.	6.30
A. Simon & Sons	67.50
Joseph E. Coutu	13.25
C. B. Hutchinson, P. M.	97.56
Charles Dailey	50.00
John W. Stobbsart	12.00
A. P. Bishop	6.00
Maxim Motor Co.	17.82
Bristol County House of Correction	12.50
Bartlett & Fales	25.43
Elizabeth Hutchinson	47.98
Santina Cataldo	57.60
American Mutual Liability Insurance	70.95
Anthony Canal	3.50
R. H. White Co.	18.13
Carl E. Richardson, Jr.	50.00
Roy I. Gottschald	2.49
Melda Morrissey	2.88
Marion Carpentier	2.88
Elizabeth Geromini	4.00
Richard D. Porter	32.25
Seaver's Express	1.70
Town of Medway	22.40
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	33.45
L. J. Cataldo Co.	133.40

Dr. Carl E. Richardson	7.50
George H. Dorr	20.00
Roland F. McDermott	37.50
Total	<u>\$4,999.25</u>

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### RAY SCHOOL

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Money Received from Insurance Co. because of fire	\$15,000.00
Money Appropriated at Special Town Meeting	<u>4,000.00</u>
Total	\$19,000.00
Expended	<u>19,000.00</u>
Unexpended	0.00

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### General Expense

Harry L. Meacham Associates	\$1,252.32
Sentinel Press, Inc.	16.00
A. J. Cataldo & Sons	2,336.63
Evening Call Publishing Co.	13.30
Crawford Electric Co.	2,050.00
William F. Germain	13,219.29
R. H. Sewell & Co.	<u>112.46</u>
Total	\$19,000.00

## SEWER DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$4,500.00
Expended	4,500.00
Unexpended	0.00

### Summary of Expenditures

Payrolls	\$3,747.86
General Expense	752.14
Total	\$4,500.00

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payrolls

General Labor	\$767.04
Sewer Bed Labor	2,008.31
Fred Darling	720.00
Alfred St. Pierre	140.00
F. P. Chapman, Commissioner	45.00
L. J. Cataldo, Commissioner	33.75
Arthur Keefe, Commissioner	28.13
J. F. Geb, Commissioner	5.63
Total	\$3,747.86

#### General Expense

Donald B. Chapman Co.	\$408.30
A. W. Robinson	5.25
George F. Ribero	18.00
Franklin Petroleum Products Co.	73.80
American Policyholders Insurance Co.	92.03
Joseph Breck & Sons	3.60
American Mutual Liability Insurance Co.	139.05
Automobile Mutual Insurance Co.	12.11
Total	\$752.14



## WATER DEPARTMENT

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Reserved from 1935	\$9,895.56
Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	7,500.00
Receipts from water bills	37,836.41
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Total	\$55,231.97
Expended	44,287.58
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Reserved for 1937	\$10,944.39

### Summary

Payrolls	\$15,351.48
General Expense	28,936.10
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Total	\$44,287.58

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payrolls

Pumping Station Wages	\$3,091.30
General Labor	2,115.36
Service Construction Labor	295.05
Tile Well Maintenance Labor	794.15
Fred Darling	1,440.00
Service Maintenance Labor	73.00
Alfred St. Pierre	1,050.00
Main Maintenance Labor	6,380.13
F. P. Chapman, Commissioner	45.00
L. J. Cataldo, Commissioner	33.75
J. F. Geb, Commissioner	5.62
Arthur Keefe, Commissioner	28.12
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Total	\$15,351.48

#### General Expense

Donald B. Doe	\$5.89
The Stewart Press	21.15

Sentinel Press, Inc.	115.10
Union Light & Power Co.	5,624.46
Kingman Hardware Co.	155.74
A. W. Harris Oil Co.	9.70
William H. Chisholm	11.70
William H. Clark & Co.	13.04
Cement Lined Pipe Co.	523.15
Albert C. Mason	9.09
Yawman & Erbe Mfg.	1.92
National Meter Co.	825.84
Brown Wales Co.	50.72
A. W. Robinson	29.75
Red Hed Mfg. Co.	191.65
The Foxboro Co.	32.35
Hart Packing Co.	86.14
John Wright	12.80
Franklin Lumber Co.	32.87
Harrington, King & Co.	15.37
National Boston Lead Co.	201.85
John Wright	55.20
Allen & Reed, Inc.	192.10
Commonwealth of Mass.	1,020.00
T. W. Evans Cordage Co.	5.93
The Edson Corporation	44.47
Walpole Water Dept.	14.00
Norwood Engineering Co.	407.50
Westinghouse Electric Co.	19.59
Kenneth E. McIntyre	15.74
The Louis Allis Co.	2.56
American Mutual Liability	417.15
Automobile Mutual Co.	12.11
The Arco Co.	52.48
The Vellumoid Co.	13.70
Agawam Tool Co.	2.88
No Pee Trading Co.	15.00
Curran & Burton, Inc.	167.84
New England Tel. & Tel.	112.65
American Policyholders Insurance Co.	92.02
Franklin Petroleum Products Co.	208.82
Franklin National Bank	9,615.00
W. K. Gilmore & Sons, Inc.	118.35
A. J. Cataldo Sons	163.68
Donald B. Chapman Co.	504.44
Worthington Pump & Machinery Corp.	76.00

N. Y. N. H. & H., R. R. Co.	40.66
J. J. Stewart & Sons	134.75
Woonsocket Supply Co.	56.03
Peterson Insurance Agency	315.55
Improvised Risk Mutuals	222.73
Curran & Burton, Inc.	243.96
George A. Caldwell Co.	44.89
Norwood Engineering Co.	645.50
Automobile Mutual Insurance Co.	9.90
George L. Sims	209.24
Merchants National Bank	2,562.50
Hancock Paint & Varnish Co.	26.32
American Colloid Corporation	65.27
The Bristol Co.	12.00
Builders Iron Foundry	38.36
Alfred Schmaltz Mfg. Co.	4.00
Federal Steam & Gas Supply Co.	41.80
E. L. LeBaron Foundry Co.	155.80
W. S. Darling	21.00
Winter Brothers Co.	11.09
Thompson Durkee Co.	76.40
Michael J. Kearney	75.00
Fred L. Davis	7.00
Warren Pipe Co.	1,662.67
Sumner & Dunbar	64.20
Napoleon Laundry	14.90
Eagle Oil & Supply Co.	42.84
Renssalaer Valve Co.	47.85
Genaro DeBaggis	69.75
Edgar A. Young	13.00
E. L. Blanchard	11.00
Walter E. Mitchell	22.15
The Barrett Co.	112.50
A. C. Horn Co.	13.61
Blake & Rebhan Co.	3.00
N. Pulsone & G. DeBaggis	57.00
Wallace & Tiernan Co., Inc.	5.11
James T. Dauphinee & Sons	6.33
Belcher Malleable Iron Co.	53.63
H. Bullukian Sons	249.03
Orelle A. Lafleur	10.00

George F. Ribero	19.50
Fred Darling, Sundries	118.79
Total	28,936.10

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$10,000.00
Expended	9,999.56
Unexpended	0.44

### Summary

Payrolls	7,084.00
General Expense	2,915.56
Total	9,999.56

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payrolls

Ralph Tracy	1,555.80
Joseph Pierre	630.00
Everett Stewart	202.40
Everett Pettit	279.30
General Payroll	4,416.50
Total	7,084.00

#### General Expense

Mrs. Georgiana Brown	31.50
Franklin Water Dept.	19.31
James L. Boucher	3.00
Arthur H. Blanchard Co.	54.37
Albert C. Mason	4.25
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	245.25
Walton's Radio Shop	9.72
N. E. Tel & Tel Co.	141.35

Midwestern Mfg. Co.	280.50
John F. Brogan	299.91
Standard Oil of New York	157.60
U. L. & Power Co.	137.42
Robert A. Doherty, Poll Taxes	64.00
A. C. Dana & Son	0.75
H. L. Metcalfe & Son	75.60
C. H. Lawrence	2.09
Mine Safety Appliance Co.	32.14
G. I. Peck	2.05
Hancock Paint & Varnish Co.	3.82
Dr. Carl E. Richardson	4.50
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co.	882.00
Firemens Relief Association	33.00
A. J. Cataldo Sons	69.88
Andrews Paper Co.	8.50
The Gamewell Co.	25.74
Kingman Hardware Co.	4.20
Maxim Motor Co.	65.00
Franklin Petroleum Products Co.	20.00
M. F. Ellis & Co.	1.50
Donald B. Doe	117.80
Morse & Son	1.00
J. Blake	4.00
W. E. Ellis	1.50
I. A. Luft.	12.00
E. L. Blanchard	2.55
H. Bullukian Sons	17.38
Carpenter Mfg. Co.	35.82
Walter E. Mitchell	18.70
Total	<hr/> 2,915.56



### Police Department

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$12,500.00
From Reserve	2,008.87
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	Total 14,508.87
Expended	14,508.87
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Unexpended	0.00

### Summary

Payrolls	12,202.00
Transportation	993.48
General Expense	1,313.39
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	Total 14,508.87

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payroll

F. G. Knowlton	198.00
Walter P. Burke	1,550.00
Carl F. Engler	1,756.00
Harold Barnes	1,610.00
William Cody	1,542.00
Joseph Cataldo	1,550.00
Fred O. Wilbee	429.50
John McCarthy	1,212.50
William St. John	166.00
Patrick Casey	168.45
John Coughlin	155.80
Joseph Denton	2.50
Joseph Bertone	205.25
William Holmes	342.50
Edward Dacey	385.50
Joseph Marconi	124.00
John Fitzgerald	34.00
John Carr	169.00
Ernest Ward	160.25
Clifford Feeley	7.50
Charles F. Mucciarone	48.25

H. A. VanLeeuwen	7.50
Antonio D'Angelo	28.75
Frank Duquette	36.50
Frank Morse	38.00
Robert Goodwin	5.50
Herbert Stewart	9.25
Arthur C. Clark	5.50
John C. Feeley	138.25
Frank Bardol	49.75
Joseph Pierre	10.75
Paul Gilbert	14.75
Elmer Thompson	5.50
John Healey	10.75
Henry Darling	10.75
Henry Cusson	13.50
Total	<hr/> \$12,202.00

### Transportation Costs

W. C. Smith	3.41
Joseph Yardisernia	520.10
George E. Cody	62.69
C. L. Harris	40.04
Leon J. Landry	288.56
Reliable Auto Supply Co.	4.74
Simmons Motors	62.29
John F. Brogan	0.90
Supple Motors, Inc.	10.75
Total	<hr/> 993.48

### General Expense

E. & W. Laundry Service	4.20
Clark, Cutler, & McDermott Co.	9.25
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	308.96
Union Light & Power Co.	70.97
A. J. Cataldo Sons	17.12
Harry Davis	2.98
George I. Peck	3.22
James H. Daggett	32.00
A. C. Dana & Son	5.05
Estate A. H. Morse	440.00

Blake & Rebhan Co.	30.40
M. J. Costello	92.00
Peterson Insurance Agency	4.00
Franklin Lumber Co.	17.34
Greenwood's Typewriter Exchange	11.50
Franklin Chapter Red Cross	5.94
W. P. Burke, Auto License Transfer	1.00
C. F. Engler, Mfg. of Keys	6.85
Chapin Medical Supply Co., Inc.	3.13
George L. Sims	1.10
Sentinel Press, Inc.	15.75
Alfred I. Duxbury	2.85
F. P. Brunelli & Sons	34.60
George Chadbourne	4.00
James T. Dauphinee & Sons	3.75
Albert C. Mason	.75
William H. Clark & Co.	1.50
Public Cleaners & Dyers	1.24
Kingman Hardware Co.	1.50
The Stewart Press	8.75
Donald B. Chapman Co.	9.75
Central Railway Signal Co.	3.90
Albert F. Granger	6.75
Charles B. Hutchinson, P. M.	3.00
Walton's Radio Shop	7.50
Little, Brown & Co.	5.00
Harold G. Smith	22.50
Harry R. Markau	48.00
Oliver's Express	1.25
H. C. Smith	19.29
H. VanLeeuwen	7.00
Bernard J. Rubenstein	3.00
Delphis Laundry	9.75
H. Barnes, Lock-up-keeper	25.00

Total	1,313.39
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## SHADE TREES

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Appropriation at Annual Town Meeting	600.00
From Reserve	584.50
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Total	1,184.50
Expended	1,165.84
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Unexpended	18.66

### Summary

Payrolls	1,015.50
General Expense	150.34
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Total	1,165.84

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payrolls

Salary and use of Truck, J. W. Stobbart	384.00
Labor as payroll	631.50
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Total	1015.50

#### General Expense

Wilfred Joyal	1.50
A. J. Cataldo Sons	37.41
John A. Geb	4.25
A. D. Hancock	3.00
Arsene Rondeau	80.00
Percy Lloy	15.00
E. C. Atkins & Co.	9.18
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Total	150.34

## GYPSY MOTH

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	1,000.00
Expended	971.93
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Unexpended	28.07

### Summary

Payrolls	822.50
General Expense	149.43
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Total	971.93

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Payrolls

J. W. Stobbart, Salary and Use of Truck	344.50
Labor as payroll	478.00
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Total	822.50

#### General Expense

Clafin Sales Corporation	91.57
Fitzhenry Gupstill Co.	.95
Joseph Yadisernia	18.91
A. J. Cataldo Sons	8.53
John W. Wyllie Machine Shop	4.50
Sentinel Press, Inc.	4.75
John F. Brogan	8.50
James Higgins & Son	11.72
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Total	149.43



## TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$2,300.00
Expended	2,297.15
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Unexpended	2.85

### Summary

Fred E. Mason, Salary	1,800.00
Fred E. Mason, Expense	69.75
General Expense	427.40
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Total	2,297.15

### Itemized Account of Expenditures

#### Fred E. Mason

Salary	1,800.00
Expense	69.75
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Total	\$1,869.75

#### Miscellaneous

Greenwood's Typewriter Exchange	1.50
Alfred I. Duxbury	5.25
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	10.78
M. Luther Buchanan	195.00
Carl H. Carlson	59.22
Crawford Electric Co.	3.00
Ellis Smith	2.75
Walter E. Mitchell	23.88
Charles B. Hutchinson	15.56
Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	56.50
The Stewart Press	5.55
Fred J. Colby	2.00
Merchants National Bank	15.00
A. C. Dana & Son	6.65

Blake & Rebham Co.	3.00
Thomas F. Keefe	21.76
Total	<hr/> \$427.40

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## COLLECTOR OF TAXES

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Appropriation at Annual Town Meeting	\$3,225.00
Expended	3,225.00
Unexpended	<hr/> 0.00

### Summary

#### Robert A. Doherty

Salary due from 1935	758.75
On account of salary of 1936	1,243.18
Tax Title Deeds	265.20
Expense	29.00
General Expense	928.87
Total	<hr/> \$3,225.00

#### Robert A. Doherty

Salary due from 1935	758.75
On acc't of salary for 1936	1,243.18
Tax Title Deeds	265.20
Expense	29.00
Total	<hr/> \$2,296.13

#### General Expense

Norfolk County Registry of Deeds	244.32
George W. Dana	400.00
Land Court	16.00
Greenwood's Typewriter Exchange	7.50
The Stewart Press	50.50

Alfred I. Duxbury	2.10
Curtis 1000, Inc.	11.55
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	49.18
Remington Rand, Inc.	1.00
Sentinel Press, Inc.	116.10
Crawford Electric Co.	3.00
Walter E. Mitchell	23.87
Blake & Rebham Co.	1.75
Fred J. Colby	2.00
Total	<u>\$928.87</u>

### SELECTMEN

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$2,500.00
Expended	<u>2,418.74</u>
Unexpended	81.26

### Summary

Salaries	\$292.56
Expenses	100.00
Clerical	415.00
Miscellaneous	<u>1,611.18</u>
Total	<u>\$2,418.74</u>

### Salaries

Daniel A. Cody	\$7.50
John B. Cataldo	110.63
Albert F. Granger	91.93
Percy G. Lloy	<u>82.50</u>
Total	<u>\$292.56</u>

### Expenses

John B. Cataldo	\$50.00
Albert F. Granger	<u>25.00</u>

Percy G. Lloy	15.00
Daniel A. Cody	10.00
Total	<hr/> 100.00

**Clerical**

Laura F. Belleville	\$415.00
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**Miscellaneous**

Ernest P. Wood	\$75.00
U. L. & Power Co.	43.40
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	232.90
Kingman Hardware Co.	4.32
Sentinel Press, Inc.	53.00
Frank Hawkins	8.00
Francis Neelin	8.00
William St. John	4.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	13.01
The Stewart Press	106.25
A. C. Mason	34.95
B. F. Davis	10.17
Carl H. Carlson	12.00
Thompson National Press	10.80
Commissioner of Public Safety	1.65
Franklin National Bank	850.85
G. I. Peck	.59
Norfolk County Selectmen's Ass'n.	6.00
Louis J. Marco	27.00
Bradley Cook	9.50
John A. Geb	3.09
L. J. Cataldo Co.	15.00
A. J. Cataldo Sons	1.60
Charles P. Hutchinson	12.98
Robinson Seal Company	1.00
Evening Call Publishing Co.	4.20
Joseph Pierre	2.00
Alfred I. Duxbury	1.35
Carl F. Engler	9.00
William H. Holmes	2.00
Russell H. Johnson	1.00
Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	37.82
Blake & Rebham Co.	8.75

Total	<hr/> \$1,611.18
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## ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$2,100.00
Expended	1,701.77
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Unexpended	\$398.23

### Summary

Salaries	\$1,450.80
Clerical	40.50
Miscellaneous	210.47
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Total	\$1,701.77

### Assessors of Taxes

#### Salaries

William J. Dickson	\$730.80
Leslie H. Ware	391.20
Bernard F. Callahan	328.80
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	\$1,450.80

#### Clerical

Amelia Zeppiere	\$40.50
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#### Miscellaneous

A. L. Burdakin	\$79.67
Bankers and Tradesmen Publishing Co.	10.00
George R. Barnstead & Co.	1.00
A. C. Mason	3.00
Times Publishing Co.	2.00
Greenwood's Typewriter Exchange	6.50
The Stewart Press	4.50
Evening Call Publishing Co.	2.10
Hobbs and Warren, Inc.	40.44
Remington Rand, Inc.	17.00



Seaver's Express	.60
Charles B. Hutchinson	20.00
William J. Dickson, Sundries	2.66
Franklin National Bank	5.00
Anna E. Hirsch	16.00
Total	<hr/> \$210.47

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## BOARD OF HEALTH

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Appropriated	\$2,500.00
Expended	2,492.48
Unexpended	<hr/> \$7.52

### Summary

John Riley, Salary	\$1,000.00
John Riley, Expenses	56.84
Miscellaneous	1,435.64
Total	<hr/> \$2,492.48

### John M. Riley

Salary	\$1,000.00
Expense	56.84
Total	<hr/> \$1,056.84

### Miscellaneous

Greenwood's Typewriter Exchange	\$4.50
Thomas F. Keefe	19.00
Dr. J. M. Crowley	30.00
Charles B. Hutchinson	5.00
Westfield State Sanatorium	120.00
Lakeville State Sanatorium	366.00
Railway Express Agency	.36
Norfolk County Hospital	757.50

Dr. Walter F. Crowley	22.75
MacGregor Instrument Co.	44.41
Carl H. Carlson	5.75
Leslie S. Wiggin	8.50
Charles Dailey	7.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	10.98
Sentinel Press, Inc.	5.00
Massachusetts General Hospital	11.25
C. P. Dolge Company	4.58
The Boston Dispensary	3.50
Hobbs & Warren	2.31
Dr. H. Russell Green	2.75
Dr. Chester L. Goodnow	1.25
Dr. Charles B. Hussey	2.75
Dr. Solon Abbott	.25
Dr. Leo Solet	.25
Total	<u>\$1,435.64</u>

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## TOWN HALL

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$500.00
Expended	268.46
Unexpended	<u>\$231.54</u>

### General Expense

Arthur A. Keefe	\$4.05
Carl F. Engler	5.00
John W. Stobbart	17.50
Franklin Water Department	13.95
Dora Desmarais	3.00
Yvonne De Gree	3.00
Mildred Pleau	3.00
Joseph Keefe	12.00
Pete D'Amelia	2.00
Delphis Landry	12.00
Franklin Lumber Co.	47.26

A. J. Cataldo Sons	10.00
H. Bullukian Sons	97.00
Walter E. Mitchell	18.70
James T. Dauphinee & Son	2.00
William Ellis	18.00
Total	<u>\$268.46</u>

## SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$350.00
Expended	350.00
Unexpended	<u>\$0.00</u>

### Summary

William H. Spence, Salary	\$250.00
William H. Spence, Expenses	92.75
General Expense	7.25
Total	<u>\$350.00</u>

### William H. Spence

Salary	\$250.00
Expenses	92.75
Total	<u>\$342.75</u>

### General Expense

Sentinel Press, Inc.	\$1.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	6.25
Total	<u>\$7.25</u>

## STREET LIGHTING

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$11,000.00
Expended	10,216.95
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Unexpended	\$783.05
<b>General Expense</b>	
Union Light & Power Co.	\$10,216.95

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## TOWN CLERK

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$550.00
Expended	550.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00

### Summary

M. J. Costello, Salary	\$150.00
M. J. Costello, Expenses	24.40
M. J. Costello, Vital Statistics	315.00
Miscellaneous	60.60
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Total	\$550.00

### M. J. Costello

Salary	\$150.00
Expenses	24.40
Vital Statistics	315.00
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Total	\$489.40

**Miscellaneous**

Sentinel Press, Inc.	\$7.00
Robinson Seal Co.	43.60
Times Publishing Co.	5.00
M. Luther Buchanan	5.00

Total	\$60.60
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**COMMON**

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$300.00
Expended	300.00

Unexpended	\$0.00
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**General Expense**

John A. Geb	\$4.33
John Flemming	20.00
John W. Stobbart	16.75
John F. Brogan	24.60
A. J. Cote	12.50
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	13.60
Pay Rolls	186.00
A. J. Cataldo Sons	10.72
Kingman Hardware Co.	3.50
Francis Neelon	8.00

Total	\$300.00
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**PLAYGROUND**

Interest from Fletcher Fund	\$2,485.42
Reserve from 1935	20.94

Total	\$2,506.36
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Expended	2,485.22
Unexpended	\$21.14

### Summary

Payroll	\$2,189.95
Miscellaneous	295.27
Total	\$2,485.22

### Payroll

Labor as payroll	\$2,189.95
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### Miscellaneous

Louis Guild	\$54.00
George E. Dorr	11.00
John A. Geb	9.95
Oliver's Express	.50
John J. McCarthy	6.00
G. DeBaggis	28.55
George L. Sims	24.25
Central Iron Foundry	23.16
Franklin Lumber Co.	8.57
Donald B. Chapman Co.	7.94
George C. Rhodes	33.00
W. F. Cobb Co.	81.00
William H. Clark & Co.	.75
Joseph Breck & Sons	3.40
Leon J. Landry	3.20
Total	\$295.27

## ELECTIONS AND REGISTRATIONS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$1,200.00
Expended	1,199.22
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Unexpended	\$0.78

### Summary

Payroll	\$826.13
Miscellaneous	373.09
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Total	\$1,199.22

### Payroll

Tellers at elections, etc.	\$711.63
John M. Riley, Salary	50.00
M. J. Costello, Salary	64.50
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Total	\$826.13

### Miscellaneous

M. J. Costello, Sundries	\$75.29
Sentinel Press, Inc.	215.30
Ladies' Aid, Methodist Episcopal Church	36.40
C. H. Lawrence	5.45
The Evening Call	17.15
The Stewart Press	22.50
Robinson Seal Co.	1.00
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Total	\$373.09

## FOREST FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$1,000.00
Expended	999.75
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Unexpended	\$0.25

### Summary

Payroll	\$616.50
Miscellaneous	383.25
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Total	\$999.75

### Payroll

Labor as payroll	\$616.50
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### Miscellaneous

Oliver's Express	\$3.35
American Fire Equipment Co.	183.20
Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co.	115.25
A. J. Cataldo Sons	.50
George L. Sims	2.65
Donald B. Chapman Co.	52.69
C. H. Lawrence	15.61
Norfolk Fire Fighting Association	10.00
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Total	\$383.25

## MAIN STREET LAND DAMAGES

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Appropriated	\$880.00
Expended	880.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00

**General Expense**

Albert C. Mason	\$2.00
Jacob F. Geb	1.00
Lewis J. Cataldo	1.00
Alfred W. Dana	1.00
Lydia P. Ray	500.00
Edith H. Ray, Trustee	375.00
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Total	\$880.00

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**CHESTNUT STREET LAND DAMAGES**

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$1,327.00
Expended	1,300.00
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Unexpended	\$27.00

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**SUMMER STREET LAND DAMAGES**

Reserve from 1935	\$14.00
Expended	6.00
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Reserve for 1937	\$8.00

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**INTEREST**

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$12,000.00
Expended	8,393.87
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Unexpended	\$3,606.13

**General Expense**

Franklin National Bank	\$897.52
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	132.53
Merchants National Bank	7,225.44
Grace M. Edwards	138.38
Total	<hr/> \$8,393.87

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**TAX TITLE LOAN**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$2,001.24
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**TAX REFUNDS****Excise Abatements**

1935	\$3.74
1936	322.10
Total	<hr/> \$325.84

**Personal Tax Abatements**

American Felt Co.	\$3,561.60
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**Real Estate Tax Abatements**

Murdock Geb Co.	\$57.12
Sentinel Press, Inc.	92.40
Elmer M. Fisher	2.52
Total	<hr/> \$152.04



## FINANCE ACCOUNTS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$90.00
Expended	56.84
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Unexpended	\$33.16
<b>General Expense</b>	
American Bank Note Company	\$44.84
Director of Accounts	12.00
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Total	\$56.84

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## TOWN REPORTS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$674.64
Expended	674.64
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Unexpended	\$0.00
<b>Expense</b>	
Sentinel Press, Inc.	\$674.64

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## COUNTY TAXES

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County Hospital Tax	\$2,848.48
County	8,417.32
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Total	\$11,265.80

## LAW DEPARTMENT

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$500.00
Expended	121.60
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Unexpended	\$378.40
 <b>General Expense</b>	
Dana, Carpenter & Dana	\$56.10
Harry J. Webb	\$65.50
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Total	\$121.60

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## LIBRARY

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$1,800.00
Expended	1,800.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00
 <b>General Expense</b>	
Franklin Library Association	\$1,800.00

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## CITY MILLS CEMETERY

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$100.00
Expended	99.43
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Unexpended	\$0.57

**General Expense**

Labor as payroll	\$88.00
John W. Stobbert	8.75
A. J. Cataldo Sons	1.78
John A. Geb	.90

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Total	\$99.43
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**CHESTNUT STREET LAND DAMAGES**


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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$1,327.00
Expended	1,300.00
Unexpended	\$27.00

**General Expense**

Antonio De Vito	\$35.00
Natale Bartolomei	15.00
Edward E. King	25.00
Joseph H. Danforth	35.00
Mary B. McMahon	200.00
Leslie H. Ware, Mabel P. Doe,	
Robert H. Doe	25.00
Edith A. King	25.00
Pasquale Carile	5.00
Armenog Ajemian	35.00
Kathleen Johns	25.00
Bridget E. Granger	65.00
Louise B. Woolford	40.00
Benjamin Torosian	25.00
Minnie M. Rounds	75.00
Julia and Roupem Torosian	43.00
Frank P. Murphy	1.00
Angelo Carile	5.00
William J. Pierre	35.00
Celesta J. Pierrie	45.00
Pasquale Longobardi	75.00
Maria Antonia Lamagna	50.00

Vincenzo Ciccone	25.00
Louis Cornetta	5.00
Charles E. Korff	1.00
Martha A. Ventham	25.00
Katie P. King	5.00
John Chestzcovo	35.00
Frank C. Duquette	50.00
William G. Mosher	1.00
James Scott	5.00
Luigi Lombardi	10.00
Sarah J. Cote	10.00
John J. Arena	18.00
M. C. Bourbeau	35.00
Vito and Domenica Scappaticci	20.00
Leo Takessian	5.00
Nicolo Delfina	15.00
Tresina Marino	65.00
Antonio Moscardelli	25.00
Michael Stello	25.00
Pasquale Vipraio	1.00
Nellie M. Dauphinee	35.00
Total	<hr/> \$1,300.00

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### OAK STREET LAND DAMAGES

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Reserved from 1935	\$126.00
Expended	1.00
Reserved for 1937	<hr/> \$125.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
Mary A. Corr	1.00

## SUMMER STREET LAND DAMAGES

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Reserved from 1935	\$14.00
Expended	6.00
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Reserved for 1937	\$8.00
 <b>General Expense</b>	
Arthur A. Keefe	\$1.00
R. F. Birmingham	5.00
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Total	\$6.00

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## WASHINGTON STREET LAND DAMAGE

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Reserved from 1935	\$283.00
Expended	131.00
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Reserved for 1937	\$152.00
 <b>General Expense</b>	
Peter Wnukowsky	\$25.00
Antonio De Napoli	1.00
Salvatore Marguerite	75.00
Dennis W. Coughlin Estate	30.00
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Total	\$131.00



### PLEASANT STREET LAND DAMAGES

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Reserved from 1935	\$12.00
Expended	1.00
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Reserved for 1937	\$11.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
Lydia P. R. Peirce	\$1.00

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### MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$29,500.00
Expended	29,500.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
Merchants National Bank	\$24,500.00
Franklin National Bank	5,000.00
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Total	\$29,500.00

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### SWIMMING POOL LAND

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$105.08
Expended	105.08
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Unexpended	\$0.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
M. J. Van Leeuwen	\$105.08

## FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIENS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$800.00
Refund from Land Court	4.30
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Total	\$804.30
Expended	261.20
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Unexpended	\$543.10

### General Expense

Norfolk County Registry of Deeds	\$49.35
Land Court	90.00
Fred E. Mason, Expenses due to deeds	56.50
Land Court, Norfolk Registry District	4.00
Hobbs & Warren, Inc.	2.53
Barnard Bachner	58.82
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Total	\$261.20

## POLICE DEPARTMENT CAR

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$800.00
Expended	737.66
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Unexpended	\$62.34

### General Expense

The Bright Bumber Sales Company	\$26.08
John F. Brogan	20.75
The Oberacher Electric Mfg. Co.	12.00
Arnold's Garage	587.80
Supple Motors, Inc.	18.98

George E. Cody	19.25
Walton's Radio Shop	40.00
Carl L. Harris	12.80
Total	<u>\$737.66</u>

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### DOG LICENSES

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#### Miscellaneous Expense

County of Norfolk	\$1,308.20
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### REVENUE NOTES

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Merchants National Bank	\$150,000.00
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### INSPECTION OF ANIMALS

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$225.00
Expended	225.00

Unexpended	<u>\$0.00</u>
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#### General Expense

A. D. Hancock, Salary	\$225.00
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## UNION STREET CEMETERY

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$150.00
Expended	150.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
Franklin Cemetery Association	\$150.00

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## LUCRETIA POND FUND

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Reserved from 1935	\$46.77
Interest	27.69
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Expended	\$74.46
	10.00
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Reserved for 1937	\$64.46
<b>General Expense</b>	
Franklin Cemetery Association	\$10.00

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## MEMORIAL DAY

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$150.00
From 1936 Reserve	32.01
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	Total
	\$182.01

Expended	182.01
Unexpended	<u>\$0.00</u>

**General Expense**

Clarence C. Nispel	\$8.12
Washington Street Greenhouses	21.62
George L. Sims	1.50
Bartlett & Fales	2.00
Franklin Brass and Aluminum Foundry	9.00
High School Band	60.00
Oliver Express Co.	1.50
George F. Ribero	1.82
A. B. Chilson	19.04
Ideal Public Market	7.50
Hathaway Baking Co.	1.08
Maud M. Corbin	14.74
Albert J. Newell	4.13
C. H. Lawrence	11.42
George I. Peck	7.79
Congregational Church	.75
Herbert C. Stewart	10.00
Total	<u>\$182.01</u>

**WEST CENTRAL STREET DRAINAGE**

Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$4,000.00
Expended	434.68
Reserved for 1937	<u>\$3,565.32</u>

**General Expense**

Labor as payroll	\$214.87
Percy G. Lloy	18.50
Franklin Lumber Co.	70.97
Parker, Danner Co.	11.76
W. K. Gilmore & Sons, Inc.	65.00



E. L. Le Baron Foundry Co.	40.50
Chase, Parker Co., Inc.	9.58
Orelle Lefleur	3.00
John F. Geb	.50
Total	<u>\$434.68</u>

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### TOWN AUDITOR

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$300.00
Expended	<u>300.00</u>
Unexpended	\$0.00

#### General Expense

Henry V. Gregory, Salary and Expenses	\$300.00
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### FOUR CORNERS SCHOOL P.W.A. PROJECT 1172R

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Reserved for 1936	\$25,000.00
U. S. Grants	<u>12,320.00</u>
Total	\$37,320.00
Expended	<u>35,822.65</u>
Reserved for 1937	\$1,497.35

#### General Expense

Boston Herald Traveler Corp.	\$95.90
Curtis Guild & Co.	63.50
Sentinel Press, Inc.	33.60
Various Persons	12.50
Frank Bent	<u>120.50</u>

A. J. Cataldo Sons	6.50
Arthur Keefe	665.00
Lee C. Abbott	35.00
Tocci Brothers	31,527.00
Frank I. Cooper Corp.	2,148.78
Oliver's Express	.50
Peterson Insurance Agency	92.71
Kenneth E. McIntyre	127.25
W. K. Gilmore & Sons	13.21
John W. Stobbart	176.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	439.20
Milton Bradley Co.	86.40
Charles E. Smith Co.	179.10
Total	<u>\$35,822.65</u>

### HIGH SCHOOL ADDITION P.W.A. PROJECT 1222R

Reserved for 1936	\$16,500.00
U. S. Grants	8,562.70
Total	<u>\$25,062.70</u>
Expended	19,976.55
Reserved for 1937	<u>\$5,086.15</u>

### General Expense

Boston Herald Traveler Corp.	\$86.10
Banker and Tradesman	52.75
Sentinel Press, Inc.	23.00
R. A. Cook & W. T. Phillips	1,192.00
Arthur Keefe	700.00
Peterson Insurance Agency	28.00
William F. Germain	17,894.70
Total	<u>\$19,976.55</u>

## INSPECTION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

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Appropriated at Annual Town Meeting	\$400.00
Expended	400.00
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Unexpended	\$0.00
<b>General Expense</b>	
Dr. Solon Abbott	\$400.00

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## U. S. GRANT — OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

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U. S. Grants — Federal Checks	\$5,375.92
Expended	5,320.86
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Unexpended	\$55.06
<b>General Expense</b>	
Santina Cataldo	\$136.60
Various Persons	5,184.26
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Total	\$5,320.86

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## STATE ASSESSMENTS

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$14,246.67
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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

—  
**Fred E. Mason, Treasurer.**  
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**RECEIPTS**

**Taxes**

Robert A. Doherty, Collector

1932 Excise Taxes	\$114.82
1933 Excise Taxes	289.79
1934 Excise Taxes	654.54
1935 Excise Taxes	972.11
1936 Excise Taxes	8,639.55
1932 Poll Taxes	8.00
1933 Poll Taxes	48.00
1934 Poll Taxes	156.61
1935 Poll Taxes	398.00
1936 Poll Taxes	3,645.00
1933 Old Age Assistance	17.00
1933 Personal and Real	1,715.48
1934 Personal and Real	17,027.11
1935 Personal and Real	44,748.35
1936 Personal and Real	198,927.67

\$277,362.03

**Tax Interests**

Robert A. Doherty, Collector

On 1932 Excise Taxes	\$24.77
1933 Excise Taxes	48.72
1934 Excise Taxes	76.65
1935 Excise Taxes	54.62
1936 Excise Taxes	19.16
1932 Poll Taxes	1.78

1933 Poll Taxes	3.89
1934 Poll Taxes	16.67
1935 Poll Taxes	33.27
1936 Poll Tax	.22
1933 Old Age Assistance	2.94
1933 Personal and Real	241.40
1934 Personal and Real	1,765.32
1935 Personal and Real	1,527.93
1936 Personal and Real	86.45

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\$3,903.79

### Miscellaneous

Robert A. Doherty, Collector	
1932 Poll Demands	\$ .35
1933 Poll Demands	2.10
1934 Poll Demands	14.70
1935 Poll Demands	29.05
1933 Advertising Costs	1.00
1934 Advertising Costs	33.98
Participation Certificate	
Franklin National Bank,	
Dividend	98.50
Balance Participation	
Certificate,	
taken over by Treasurer	361.25

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\$540.93

### Taxes

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,	
Income Tax	\$22,389.03
Business Corp. Tax	22,102.63
Gas, Electric Light	
and Water Co. Tax	8,836.54
Machinery Tax	
Abatement	1,561.01
Race Track Distribution	680.74

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\$55,569.95

**Highways**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,		
Chestnut Street		
Construction	\$2,800.00	
King Street		
Construction	2,537.37	
Dept. Receipts	25.00	
Refund — Chestnut Street	7.46	
	<hr/>	\$5,369.83

**Education**

School Dept. Receipts	\$9,051.17	
County of Norfolk,		
Dog License Returns	961.26	
	<hr/>	\$10,012.43
Ray School Insurance	15,000.00	\$15,000.00

**School — P. W. A. Projects**

U. S. Government,		
Docket #1172-R	\$12,320.00	
Docket 1222-R	8,562.70	
	<hr/>	\$20,882.70

**Public Welfare**

Department Receipts	\$8,953.55	\$8,953.55
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**United States Grant —****Old Age Assistance**

U. S. Government	\$5,375.92	\$5,375.92
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**Protection of Persons  
and Property**

Police Department		
Receipts	\$400.45	
William H. Spence,		
Sealing Fees	81.11	



Licenses and Permits	4,989.50	
State License Returns	65.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,536.06

**Health**

Department Receipts	\$122.43	\$122.43
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**Water**

Department Receipts	\$37,646.47	
Participation Certificate, Franklin National Bank, Dividend	40.69	
Balance Participation Certificate, taken over by Treasurer	149.25	
	<hr/>	\$37,836.41

**Soldiers' Benefits**

Department Receipts	\$1,259.17	\$1,259.17
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**Municipal Finance**

Anticipation Revenue Notes, Discounted	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
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**Tax Titles**

Redemptions	\$9,747.17	\$9,747.17
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**Interest**

Tax Title Redemption Commonwealth of Massa- chusetts, Adjustment on Tax Title Int.	\$1,126.83	
	542.59	
	<hr/>	\$1,669.42

**Trust Accounts**

New England Trust Co., Fletcher Fund Income	\$2,181.61	
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Benjamin Franklin Savings Bank,		
Fletcher Fund Interest	32.21	
Lucretia Pond Fund Interest	27.69	
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		\$2,241.51

**Miscellaneous**

M. J. Costello, Town Clerk,		
Dog Licenses	\$1,288.40	
Playground	.98	
Dog Officer		
Reimbursement	10.00	
Unclaimed	4.00	
Redemption Fee	1.00	
Foreclosure of Tax Liens,		
Land Court Refund	4.30	
Commonwealth of Massa- chusetts, Loss of Taxes on State owned property	131.35	
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		\$1,440.03

TOTAL RECEIPTS		
FOR YEAR 1936 .....		\$612,823.33

**DISBURSEMENTS****General Government**

Selectmen	\$2,418.74
Treasurer	2,297.15
Auditor	300.00
Collector of Taxes	3,225.00
Assessors of Taxes	1,701.77
Town Clerk	550.00
Elections and Registrations	1,199.22

Town Hall	268.46	
Law	121.60	
Finance	56.84	
	<hr/>	\$12,138.78

### **Protection of Persons and Property**

Police Department	\$14,508.87	
Police Department Car	737.66	
Forest Fire Department	999.75	
Sealer of Weights and Measures	350.00	
Shade Trees	1,165.84	
Gypsy Moth	971.93	
Fire Department	9,999.56	
	<hr/>	\$28,733.61

### **Highways**

Highway Department	\$17,999.73	
Tarvia	9,978.69	
Chapter #90 Maintenance	3,097.50	
Chestnut Street Construction	11,730.04	
King Street Construction	6,125.00	
Chapter #464 — Highway	618.19	
Highway Department Equipment	3,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$53,049.15

### **Street Lighting**

Union Light & Power Co.	\$10,216.95	\$10,216.95
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### **Health and Sanitation**

Health Department	\$2,492.48
Sewer Department	4,500.00
Inspection of	

School Children	400.00
Inspection of Animals	225.00

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\$7,617.48

**Public Welfare**

Welfare Department	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
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**United States Grant—  
Old Age Assistance**

Various Persons	\$5,320.86	\$5,320.86
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**Education**

School Department	\$110,788.28
Ray School Building	19,000.00

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\$129,788.28

**School — P. W. A. PROJECTS**

Four Corners School, Docket #1172-R	\$35,822.65
High School Addition, Docket #1222-R	19,976.56

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\$55,799.20

**Water**

Water Bonds	\$12,000.00
Water Bond Interest	1,197.50
Water Department, maintenance, operation and construction	31,090.08

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\$44,287.58

**Soldiers' Benefits**

Soldiers' Relief	\$7,237.32	\$7,237.32
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**Municipal Indebtedness**

School Bonds	\$18,000.00
Sewer Bonds	5,000.00

School Notes	4,000.00	
Water Main Notes	2,500.00	
Revenue Notes	150,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$179,500.00

**Tax Title Loan**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts	\$2,001.24	\$2,001.24
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**Interest**

On School Bonds	\$5,997.50	
On Sewer Bonds	680.00	
On Water Main Notes	138.38	
On Grade School Notes	625.00	
On High School Addition Notes	412.50	
On Tax Title Loan	132.53	
On Revenue Notes (discounted)	407.96	
	<hr/>	\$8,393.87

**Land Damage Accounts**

Main Street	\$880.00	
Pleasant Street	2.00	
Washington Street	131.00	
Oak Street	1.00	
Chestnut Street	1,300.00	
Summer Street	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,320.00

**Trust Fund Payments**

Fletcher Improvement Fund, Playground	\$2,485.22	
Lucretia Pond Fund, Care of Cemeteries	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,495.22

**Taxes**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

1936 State Tax	\$14,100.00
1936 State Parks and Reservation Tax	111.75
1935 Soldiers' Relief Investigation	34.92

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 \$14,246.67
**Taxes**

County of Norfolk,

1936 County Tax	\$8,417.32
1936 County Hospital Tax	2,848.48

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 \$11,265.80
**Tax Refunds**

On 1935 Excise	\$3.74
On 1936 Excise	322.10
On 1936 Personal and Real	3,713.64

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 \$4,039.48
**Miscellaneous Accounts**

Commons	\$300.00
Town Reports	674.64
Memorial Day	182.01
Library Association	1,800.00
Foreclosure of Tax Liens	261.20
City Mills Cemetery	99.43
Union Street Cemetery	150.00
W. P. A.	8,945.35
West Central Street Drain	434.68
Swimming Pool Land	105.08
County of Norfolk, Dog Licenses	1,308.20

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 \$14,260.59
**TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS**

FOR YEAR 1936 ..... \$642,712.08



**CASH STATEMENT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936**

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Balance on Hand January 1, 1936	\$91,491.97
Total Receipts for Year 1936	612,823.33
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	\$704,315.30
Total Disbursements for Year 1936	642,712.08
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Balance December 31, 1936	\$61,603.22

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**ACCOUNT WITH ROBERT A. DOHERTY,  
COLLECTOR.**

**MEMORANDUM OF UNCOLLECTED TAXES  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

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Year	Personal & Real	Poll	Old Age	Total
1936	\$72,659.34	\$1,067.00	————	\$73,726.34
1935	23,922.02	422.00	————	24,344.02
1934	1,592.70	337.93	————	1,930.63
1933	27.77	97.34	\$58.00	183.11
1932	30.24	17.80	3.00	51.04
	<hr/>	<hr/>		
	\$98,232.07	\$1,942.07	\$61.00	\$100,235.14

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Uncollected Motor Excise Taxes	1936	\$2,676.82
	1935	1,269.90
	1934	798.33
	1933	336.51
	1932	125.34
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		\$5,206.90

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1937</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1937	3.75%	\$2,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1937	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1937	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1937	4.00%	1,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	June 1, 1937	4.00%	1,000.00
Water Loan	May 17, 1912	June 1, 1937	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Mains & Equipment Loan	July 1, 1935	July 1, 1937	2.25%	2,500.00
Sewer Loan	Feb. 19, 1915	Aug. 1, 1937	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Loan	Aug. 7, 1913	Aug. 1, 1937	4.50%	1,000.00
Sewer Loan	Feb. 19, 1914	Nov. 1, 1937	4.00%	3,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1937	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1925	Nov. 1, 1937	2.50%	2,000.00
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				\$34,500.00

<b>Loans Due in 1938</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1938	3.75%	\$2,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1938	3.75%	3,000.00

# DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.

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Loans Due in 1938	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Rate	Amount
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1938	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1938	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Loan	May 17, 1912	June 1, 1938	4.00%	1,000.00
Water Loan	Sept. 4, 1912	June 1, 1938	4.00%	1,000.00
Water Mains & Equipment Loan	July 1, 1935	July 1, 1938	2.25%	2,500.00
Sewer Loan	Feb. 19, 1915	Aug. 1, 1938	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Loan	Aug. 7, 1913	Aug. 1, 1938	4.50%	1,000.00
Sewer Loan	Feb. 19, 1914	Nov. 1, 1938	4.00%	3,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1938	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1938	2.50%	2,000.00
				<hr/> \$34,500.00

Loans Due in 1939	Date of Issue	Date of Maturity	Rate	Amount
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1939	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1939	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1939	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1939	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Loan	Sept. 4, 1912	June 1, 1939	4.00%	2,000.00

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1939</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Water Mains & Equipment Loan	July 1, 1935	July 1, 1939	2.25%	2,500.00
Sewer Loan	Feb. 19, 1915	Aug. 1, 1939	4.00%	2,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1939	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1939	2.50%	2,000.00
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				\$29,500.00

<b>Loans Due in 1940</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1940	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1940	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1940	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1940	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Loan	Sept. 4, 1912	June 1, 1940	4.00%	2,000.00
Water Mains & Equipment Loan	July 1, 1935	July 1, 1940	2.25%	2,300.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1940	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1940	2.50%	2,000.00
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				\$27,300.00

# **DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1941</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1941	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1941	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1941	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1941	4.00%	2,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1941	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1941	2.50%	2,000.00
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				\$23,000.00

<b>Loans Due in 1942</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1942	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1942	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1942	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1942	4.00%	2,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1942	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1942	2.50%	1,500.00
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				\$22,500.00



**DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1943</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1943	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1943	3.75%	3,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1943	4.25%	13,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1943	4.00%	2,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1943	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1943	2.50%	1,000.00
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				\$22,000.00

<b>Loans Due in 1944</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1944	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Horace Mann School Loan	April 1, 1931	April 1, 1944	3.75%	2,000.00
High School Loan	May 1, 1924	May 1, 1944	4.25%	6,000.00
High School Loan	June 1, 1925	June 1, 1944	4.00%	2,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1944	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1944	2.50%	1,000.00
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				\$14,000.00



**DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1945</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1945	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1945	2.50%	2,000.00
High School Addition Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1945	2.50%	1,000.00
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				\$4,000.00

<b>Loans Due in 1946</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1946	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1946	2.50%	1,000.00
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				\$2,000.00

<b>Loans Due in 1947</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1947	3.75%	\$1,000.00
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1947	2.50%	1,000.00
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				\$2,000.00

**DETAILED STATEMENT OF FIXED TOWN DEBT  
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

<b>Loans Due in 1948</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
New Tank Loan Grade School Loan	April 1, 1928	April 1, 1948	3.75%	\$1,000.00
	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1948	2.50%	1,000.00
				<hr/> \$2,000.00

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<b>Loans Due in 1949</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1949	2.50%	\$1,000.00
<b>Loans Due in 1950</b>	<b>Date of Issue</b>	<b>Date of Maturity</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Grade School Loan	Nov. 1, 1935	Nov. 1, 1950	2.50%	\$1,000.00
				<hr/> TOTAL — \$219,300.00

**FUNDED DEBT PAYMENTS AND INTEREST  
PAYABLE IN 1937**

	<b>Balance Outstanding</b>	<b>Rate</b>	<b>Principal Due</b>	<b>Interest Due</b>
<b>January 1</b>				
Water Notes	\$9,800	2.25%	————	\$110.25
<b>February 1</b>				
Water Bonds	2,000	4.50%	————	45.00
Sewer Bonds	6,000	4.00%	————	120.00
<b>April 1</b>				
Water Bonds	14,000	3.75%	2,000	262.50
#17-#18				
School Bonds	23,000	3.75%	3,000	431.25
#16-17-18				
<b>May 1</b>				
Sewer Bonds	6,000	4.00%	————	120.00
School Bonds	97,000	4.25%	13,000	2,061.25
#157-169 incl.				
School Notes	37,500	2.50%	————	468.75
<b>June 1</b>				
School Bonds	16,000	4.00%	2,000	320.00
#23-#24				
Water Bonds	8,000	4.00%	2,000	160.00
#243-#244				
<b>July 1</b>				
Water Notes	9,800	2.25%	2,500	110.25
#234				

**August 1**

Water Bonds #274	2,000	4.50%	1,000	45.00
Sewer Bonds #45-#46	6,000	4.00%	2,000	120.00

**October 1**

Water Bonds	12,000	3.75%	—————	225.00
School Bonds	20,000	3.75%	—————	375.00

**November 1**

Sewer Bonds #70-71-72	6,000	4.00%	3,000	120.00
School Bonds	84,000	4.25%	—————	1,785.00
School Notes #241-42-66-67	37,500	2.50%	4,000	468.75

**December 1**

School Bonds	14,000	4.00%	—————	280.00
Water Bonds	6,000	4.00%	—————	120.00

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\$7,748.00

**Summary of Above**

Water Bonds & Notes Payable	\$7,500.00
Sewer Bonds Payable	5,000.00
School Bonds & Notes Payable	22,000.00
Interest	7,748.00

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\$42,248.00

**DEBT ACCOUNTS .**

Net Funded or Fixed Debt		
General Loans		\$219,300.00
School	\$173,500.00	
Sewer	12,000.00	
Public Enterprise Loans		
Water	33,800.00	
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	\$219,300.00	\$219,300.00

**TRUST ACCOUNT**

Trust Fund,		
Cash and Securities	\$1,000.00	
Lucretia Pond Cemetery Fund		\$1,000.00
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# TOWN OF FRANKLIN

## BALANCE SHEET — DECEMBER 31, 1936.

### General Accounts

#### ASSETS

##### Cash

On Hand and In Banks

\$61,603.22

##### Accounts Receivable

Motor Excise Taxes

Levy of 1932 \$125.34  
 Levy of 1933 336.51  
 Levy of 1934 798.33  
 Levy of 1935 1,269.90  
 Levy of 1936 2,676.82

#### LIABILITIES AND RESERVES

Anticipation Revenue Loans

(1936) \$75,000.00

##### Trust Fund Income

Lucretia Pond Fund

\$64.46

Fletcher Improvement

96.67

Fund

32.21

Sale of Real Estate

2,272.97

Reserve Fund —

Overlay Surplus

9,088.23

##### Taxes (Poll)

Levy of 1932 \$17.80  
 Levy of 1933 97.34  
 Levy of 1934 337.93  
 Levy of 1935 422.00

##### Overlay Reserved for

##### Abatements

Levy of 1932 \$48.04  
 Levy of 1933 637.29  
 Levy of 1934 2,111.63



Levy of 1936	1,067.00	1,942.07	Levy of 1935	5,009.48
			Levy of 1936	4,413.28
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Taxes				
(Personal and Real)			Reserved for Land	
Levy of 1932	\$30.24		Damage Accounts	
Levy of 1933	27.77		Oak Street	\$125.00
Levy of 1934	1,592.70		Pond Street	50.00
Levy of 1935	23,922.02		Summer Street	8.00
Levy of 1936	72,659.34	98,232.07	Pleasant Street	10.00
			Washington Street	152.00
			Chestnut Street	27.00
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Old Age Assistance				372.00
Levy of 1932	\$3.00			
Levy of 1933	58.00	61.00	Balances Reserved for 1937	
			Grade School	
Special Assessment			Construction	\$1,497.35
Sidewalks		428.00	High School Addition	5,086.15
			U. S. Grant, Old Age	
			Assistance	55.06
Tax Titles (156 Parcels)		34,122.87	Water Department	10,944.39
			W. P. A.	1,278.29
Due from State,			West Central Street	
Chestnut Street			Drain	3,565.32
Construction		2,550.00	Special Shade Trees	101.72
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# **TOWN OF FRANKLIN** **BALANCE SHEET—DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

## **General Accounts**

### **ASSETS**

King Street  
 Construction  
 #90 Maintenance

Due from County,  
 #90 Maintenance

87.63  
 750.00

### **LIABILITIES AND RESERVES**

Playground

21.14      22,549.42

### **Revenue Reserved Until Collected**

Motor Excise Taxes  
 Special Assessment  
 Tax Titles

\$5,206.90  
 428.00  
 34,122.87

### **SURPLUS REVENUE**

44,376.98

\$205,733.76

\$205,733.76

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES

### In Account with 1932 Poll Taxes

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Uncollected Balance			
as of Jan. 1, 1936		\$27.80	
Interest charged		1.78	
Demands		.35	
			\$29.93
Collected and paid			
to treasurer		\$8.00	
Interest Collected		1.78	
Demands		.35	
Abatement		2.00	
			12.13
Outstanding balance			
as of Dec. 31, 1936			\$17.80

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### In Account with 1932 Old Age Taxes

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Audit Adjustment			\$3.00
Outstanding balance			
as of Dec. 31, 1936			\$3.00

### In Account with 1932 Excise Taxes

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Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$238.16	
1933 Tax		
reported as 1932	2.00	
Interest charged	24.77	
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Collected and paid		
to treasurer	\$114.82	
Interest collected	24.77	
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		<hr/> \$125.34

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### In Account with 1932 Personal and Real Estate Taxes

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Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$450.85	
1933 tax reported as 1932	3.02	
Adjustment of funds		
in closed bank	.02	
To be refunded in 1937	44.10	
	<hr/>	\$497.99
Remainder of Participation		
Certificate:		
Collected and paid		
to Treasurer	\$106.50	
Assumed by Treasurer	361.25	
	<hr/>	467.75
Outstanding		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		<hr/> \$30.24

### In Account with 1933 Poll Taxes

Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$149.34	
Adjustment	1.00	
Interest charged	3.89	
1933 Old Age		
reported as Poll	1.00	
Demands	2.10	
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		\$157.33
Collected and paid to treasurer	\$48.00	
Interest collected	3.89	
Demands	2.10	
Abatements	6.00	
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		59.99
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$97.34

### In Account with 1933 Old Age Taxes

Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$76.00	
Interest charged	2.94	
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		\$78.94
Collected and paid to treasurer	\$17.00	
1933 Old Age		
reported 1933 Poll	1.00	
Interest collected	2.94	
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		20.94
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$58.00

### In Account with 1933 Excise Taxes

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Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$613.36	
Adjustment	15.04	
Interest	48.72	
		\$677.12
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$289.79	
1933 Excise		
reported as 1932 Excise	2.00	
Interest	48.72	
Adjustment of outstanding		
(Previous Audit)	.10	
		340.61
Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$336.51

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### In Account with 1933 Personal and Real Estate Taxes

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Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$1,807.14	
Adjustment	.58	
Reported as taxes,		
should be Interest	1.97	
Interest charged	241.40	
Advertising	1.00	
		\$2,052.09
Collected and paid to treasurer	\$1,715.48	
Tax Title	57.38	
Abatement	6.04	
1933 Tax reported as 1932	3.02	



Interest charged	241.40	
Advertising	1.00	
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		2,024.32
Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		<hr/>
		\$27.77

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### **In Account with 1934 Poll Taxes**

Uncollected balance as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$526.04	
Interest charged	16.67	
Demands	14.70	
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		\$557.41
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$156.61	
Interest collected	16.67	
Demands	14.70	
Abatements	31.50	
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		219.48
Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		<hr/>
		\$337.93

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### **In Account with 1934 Excise Taxes**

Uncollected balance as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$1,209.56	
Adjustments of refunds	246.35	
Interest charged	76.65	
Interest reported as taxes	.82	
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		\$1,533.38

Collected and paid Treasurer	\$654.54	
Interest collected	76.65	
1934 Excise		
reported as 1935 Excise	3.86	
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		735.05
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$798.33

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### **In Account with 1934 Personal and Real Estate Taxes**

Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$21,208.80	
Interest charged	1,765.32	
Advertising	33.98	
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		\$23,008.10
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$17,027.11	
Interest collected	1,765.32	
Advertising	33.98	
Tax Titles	2,588.99	
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		21,415.40
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$1,592.70

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### **In Account with 1935 Poll Taxes**

Uncollected balance		
as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$906.00	
Interest charged	33.27	
Demands	29.05	
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		\$968.32

Collected and paid to treasurer	\$398.00	
Interest collected	33.27	
Demands	29.05	
Abatements	86.00	
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		546.32
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Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$422.00

#### **In Account with 1935 Excise Taxes**

Uncollected balance as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$2,019.47	
1935 Refunds	231.32	
Interest charged	54.62	
Refunds in 1936	3.74	
1934 tax reported as 1935 tax	3.86	
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		\$2,313.01
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$972.11	
Interest collected	54.62	
Abatements	16.38	
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		1,043.11
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Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$1,269.90

#### **In Account with 1935 Personal and Real Estate Taxes**

Uncollected balance as of Jan. 1, 1936	\$71,950.77	
Adjustment of Tax Titles	193.52	
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	\$72,144.29	
Interest charged	1,527.93	
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		\$73,672.22

Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$44,748.35	
Interest collected	1,527.93	
Abatement	13.12	
Tax Titles	3,460.80	
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		49,750.20
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Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$23,922.02

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### In Account with 1936 Poll Taxes

Assessors' Warrants:		
Jan. 30, 1936	\$4,666.00	
Oct. 26, 1936	80.00	
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	\$4,746.00	
Interest charged	.22	
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		\$4,746.22
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$3,645.00	
Interest collected	.22	
Abatement	34.00	
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		3,679.22
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Outstanding balance as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$1,067.00

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### In Account with 1936 Excise Taxes

Assessors' Warrants:	
Feb. 19, 1936	\$2,074.77
April 1, 1936	3,204.26

May 4, 1936	3,201.04	
June 18, 1936	1,478.11	
Sept. 14, 1936	337.26	
Oct. 5, 1936	816.83	
Nov. 30, 1936	514.03	
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	\$11,626.30	
Interest charged	19.16	
Refunds	322.10	
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		\$11,967.56
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$8,639.55	
Interest Collected	19.16	
Abatements	632.03	
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		9,290.74
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$2,676.82

### **In Account with 1936 Personal and Real Estate Taxes**

Assessors' Warrants:		
May 14, 1936	\$293,282.72	
Dec. 11, 1936	55.44	
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	\$293,338.16	
Interest Charged	86.45	
Abatements refunded	3,713.64	
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		\$297,138.25
Collected and paid to Treasurer	\$198,927.67	
Interest Collected	86.45	
Abatements	17,058.82	
Tax Titles	8,405.97	
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		224,478.91
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Outstanding balance		
as of Dec. 31, 1936		\$72,659.34

Respectfully submitted,  
 ROBERT A. DOHERTY,  
 Collector of Taxes.

## **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

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The Board of Selectmen for 1936 organized by electing John B. Cataldo as Chairman and Sponsor Agent for W. P. A. Projects. Albert F. Granger placed in charge of the Police Department. Percy Lloy was given charge of the Roads. Laura F. Belleville was appointed clerk to the Board.

In connection with the Police Department. With the vacancies of the Chief of Police, due to the death of Freeman G. Knowlton, Chief of Police, in January 1936 and Sergeant Dennis J. Feeley in November 1935, a serious problem confronted this Board, in choosing a new Chief for the Department. Several applications were received for the position of Chief, covering applicants from our own Town as well as from the other Towns in this vicinity. All Applicants were investigated and considered. The final result being the unanimous choice of Walter Burke as Chief, and Carl Engler as Sergeant.

Walter Burke, the newly elected Chief, was a resident of Franklin, Mass., a member of the State Police for eight years. His record in the State Police was excellent for character; habits and reputation, ability and fitness while in their service. He was thoroughly familiar with Franklin and its vicinity, having worked with the local Police Department in the past few years, while in the State Police.

Carl Engler, newly elected Sergeant, was a member of the local Department for several years and his efficient service rated his promotion.



The appropriation of \$800.00 for the Police Car. The cost to replace the old police car with a new Plymouth fully equipped Cruiser Car was \$737.66, leaving a balance of \$62.34. This Board recommends the turn in of the Police car each year, thereby eliminating the appropriation of a large amount of money for a new car, the saving of large repair bills on a used car, and making it possible to have a Cruiser Car in the proper condition to compete with modern cars used in crime.

From the Equipment appropriation we replaced the old Dodge Truck used by Superintendent of Streets, with a new Dodge Pick up. A new G M C truck was purchased and a V type snow plow. In the event of a snow storm this new G M C truck equipped with V type snow plow will start plowing roads in the outlying district, at the same time as our other equipment plow our main roads. Heretofore, our main roads were plowed first, and then our equipment was sent into the Rural Districts to open the roads.

During the year the relocation of Main Street between Depot and Emmons Streets was completed.

Through the generosity of the Union Light and Power Company, additional lights were erected, completing a White Way from Summer Street to Emmons Street.

Under Chapter 90 we completed 3300 feet of road on Chestnut Street, this being 300 feet additional over the contract so as to complete road to Mill Street. Balance of Chestnut Street to be completed in year 1937 .

Under Chapter 90, we completed 1370 feet of road on King Street. This completed our plans for King Street.

In connection with improvements and repairs requested on Beech Street at last Town Meeting. To make the necessary improvements, it would require a large amount of money. We therefore, submitted a project to cover this work for approval of the Government. We have cleared all brush and trees ready for improvements and have just now been advised that this

project will be approved for February 1937 and we will arrange to carry out the improvements, which consist of a 24 ft. road, repair two bridges, install two culverts and tar the road surface.

In connection with the acceptance of Lee, Reid and Stubbs Streets. We have graveled all three streets, and tarred Reid and Stubbs Streets. Lee Street was not tarred, due to the approach of severe weather.

As to the special appropriation to cover completion of Town surface drain on West Central Street through the properties of Clark-Cutler-McDermott Company and the American Felt Company. This work is well under construction and will be completed in February 1937.

The foregoing report has been prepared and is presented with a view to acquainting the citizens as to the matters which were not of a merely routine character.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

Franklin, Mass.  
January 23rd, 1937.

# **WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

**February 9, 1937**

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin,  
in the County of Norfolk.

Greetings:

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the qualified voters of the said Town of Franklin, to assemble in their Town Hall, on Tuesday, the Ninth day of February, A. D. 1937, it being the second Tuesday in said February, at six o'clock in the forenoon and remain in session until six o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose by ballot the following Town officers, viz:—A Moderator, three Selectmen, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, an Auditor, Three members of the Board of Public Welfare, a Tree Warden, three Constables, all for the term of one year; one Assessor of Taxes, one member of the Board of Health, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Water and Sewer Commissioners, and two members of the Town Planning Board, all for the term of three years.

Article 2. To choose all other necessary Town Officers

Article 3. To hear a report of the Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Select-

men, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning Jan. 1, 1937, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the following purposes to wit:—

1. For general government, including the compensation and expense of the Selectmen, Auditor, Collector of Taxes, Treasurer, Assessors of Taxes, Town Clerk, also for Election and Registration, Town Hall and other finance accounts
2. For Protection of Persons and Property, including the payment of Police and Suppression of Illegal Liquor Traffic, Support of Fire Department, Sealing of Weights and Measures, Extermination of Gypsy Moths etc., Trimming of Shade Trees and for Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires.
3. For Health and Sanitation, including expenses of the Board of Health, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Meats and Provisions, Inspection of School Children, Construction and Maintenance of Sewer and Sewer Beds.
4. For Highways and Bridges, including construction and repair of Roads, Bridges, Sidewalks, Street Lighting, Tarvia and all other Highway Expenses.
5. For Public Charities, including compensation and expenses of the Board of Public Welfare, expense at the Almshouse, and for aid to Out-Side Poor.

6. For Soldiers' Benefits, including State Aid, Soldiers' Relief and Soldiers' Burials.
7. For Education, including all the expenses of the School Committee.
8. For the Franklin Public Library.
9. For the Improvement of the Commons.
10. For Unclassified Accounts, including the Décoration of Soldiers' Graves, Printing of the Town Report.
11. For the Maintenance and Operation of the Water Department, including water debt and interest, and the compensation of the Water Commissioners.
12. For the payment of Interest on Town Debts.
13. For the payment of Municipal Indebtedness.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to use the interest of the Lucretia Pond Fund not otherwise provided for, for the care of Town Cemeteries, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) for the care of the Union Street Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) for the care of the City Mills Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.



Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from the income of the Fletcher Fund for the construction and equipment of a playground and recreational field, on "Fletcher Field", to be expended under the direction of the Playground and Recreation Committee.

Article 10. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in this town during the ensuing year.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6000) for the use of the local Works Progress Administration, and for any other local Federal Agency, conditional upon funds being contributed by the Federal Government, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen hundred Dollars (\$1600) for the repair and maintenance of Chapter 90 roads, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7000) for the improvement of Chestnut Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) to foreclose tax liens now held by the Town, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Overlay Reserve Fund to a Special Reserve Fund to be used for extraordinary or unforeseen expenses, or do anything relating thereto.



Article 16 .To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries of the Board of Selectmen at \$350 a year, for the Chairman, and \$300 a year for each of the other members, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries of the Board of Public Welfare at \$300 a year for the Chairman, and \$250 a year for each of the other members, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, for expenses encumbered on the restraining of dogs, killing, burying, and handling all complaints of the Dog Officer.

Article 19. To see if the Town will appoint a Committee to cover Franklin's interest in the nation-wide centennial celebration of Horace Mann's Acceptation of the Secretaryship of the Massachusetts Educational Commission in 1837, and instruct it to co-operate with the National Committee or do anything relating thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars for the use of the Horace Mann Committee to defray expenses incident with its activities during the nation-wide Centennial celebration of Horace Mann's Acceptance of the Secretaryship of the Educational Commission of Massachusetts, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of (\$2000) Two Thousand Dollars, to purchase a new Forest Fire Truck, said sum to be expended under supervision of Board of Fire Engineers.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the Dog License money received for the present year, for the support of the Schools or the Public Library.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen, to sell after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they may deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$2000.00) Two Thousand Dollars for the purchase of equipment for the Highway Department, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the uses of the Assessors in reducing the Tax Rate, a sum to be determined by the Tax Commissioner from Excess and Deficiency account, said money to be deferred until after April 1, 1937, that interest charge on temporary loans may be reduced.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to lease to Edward L. Grant Post, No. 75, American Legion, for the period of five (5) years beginning with April 1, 1937, at the rate of one dollar (\$1.00) per year, the building commonly known as G.A.R. Hall, situated on the southerly side on East Street, in Franklin, or do or act anything relating thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Forty Dollars (\$40) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Chestnut Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$50) Fifty Dollars to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Washington Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a surface water drainage system on Wachusett Street; beginning at, or just

South of Harmon Street, and extending to the Fletcher Field drainage system, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Dollars for decoration of Soldiers' Graves and the proper observance of Memorial Day, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will lease for a period of one year a building or parts of a building for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for Post #3402 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$125) for the same, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to establish as the boundary line between the Four Corners School Lot and land of John W. Stobbart and Guidine A. Stobbart, the line as shown on a plan drawn by Kenneth E. McIntyre, Civil Engineer, dated May 8, 1936, said proposed boundary line extending between King Street and Cross Street, and being described as follows: Beginning at an iron pipe in the northerly line of King Street 155.51 feet south-westerly, as the street line runs, from a County highway bound in the northerly line of King Street; thence North 14 degrees 04" West 237.01 feet to a drill hole in the sidewalk on the southerly line of Cross Street, said drill hole being 46.80 feet westerly as the street line runs from another drill hole in the sidewalk on the southerly side of East Central Street, said latter drill hole being 99.48 feet westerly, as the street line runs, from a County highway bound in the southerly line of East Central Street, all as shown on said plan and reference being made thereto for more specific details of location:—

And to authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a release in the name of the Town to said John W. Stobbart and Guidine A. Stobbart of all right, title and interest of the Town in and to the land adjoining said proposed boundary line and westerly therefrom, in consid-

eration of and provided that said John W. Stobbart and Guidine A. Stobbart at the same time shall execute and deliver to the Town a release of all their right, title and interest in and to the land adjoining said proposed boundary line and easterly therefrom.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450.00) for the building of a cement walk 912 feet long and 5 feet wide, between Peck and Wachusett Street, across the so-called Fletcher Field, above sum to be taken from Fletcher Fund and expended under the supervision of the Playground Committee, with the sanction of the Planning Board, any unexpended balance to be returned to the above Fund.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$17,000) Seventeen Thousand Dollars for the payment of Old Age Assistance, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Public Welfare.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars (\$6000) for the payment of Mothers' Aid and Aid to Dependent Children, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Public Welfare.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to adequately repair and tar the surface of Pond Street, from West Central Street to the junction of Oak Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Road Machinery Account, to which shall be credited all receipts received for the use or rental of road machinery, the proceeds to be appropriated as voted by the Town for road machinery purposes, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000) to



establish a Road Machinery Fund for the purpose of repairing and operating road machinery.

Article 39 To see if the Town will adopt Chapter 83, Sections 25 to 28 inclusive, in regard to the Betterment Act, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to amend the vote passed under Article 2 of the Warrant for Special Town Meeting held Jan. 28, 1936, whereby the sum of (\$4000) Four Thousand Dollars was appropriated from available cash in the Treasury, so as to read as follows:—Voted: That the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000) be appropriated from the Overlay Reserve Fund in addition to the amount appropriated under Article 1, for the purpose of making further necessary repairs for the fire damage to the Ray School.

Article 41. To see if the Town will accept the provision of Section 48, Chapter 31 of The General Laws and in the amendments thereof so that the regular or the permanent members of the Police Department of the said Town of Franklin shall be subject thereto.

Article 42. To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Section 49, Chapter 31 of the General Laws and in the amendments thereof so that the Chief of Police of the said Town of Franklin shall be subject thereto.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to increase the appropriation made under Article 1 of the Special Town Meeting held on Oct. 9, 1935, from \$39,000 to \$39,500, all other provisions of the vote to remain unchanged.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000) for the purpose of laying sidewalks in the Town, or do anything relating thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of meeting as directed by the vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, at the time and place of meeting.

Given under our hands this twenty-fifth day of January A. D. 1937.

JOHN B. CATALDO  
ALBERT F. GRANGER  
PERCY G. LLOY

Selectmen of Franklin

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

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To the Citizens of the Town of Franklin:

During the year ending December 31st, 1936, there has been reported to the Board of Health 188 cases of reportable diseases as follows:

German Measles	55
Lobar Pneumonia	6
Measles	30
Mumps	5
Scarlet Fever	34
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	3
Whooping-Cough	1
Gonorrhea	8
Syphilis	17

There were 27 cases of dog-bite, 1 cat-bite and 1 rat-bite reported. One dog head sent to the Wasserman Laboratory to be examined for rabies. Report received was negative.



Last May a clinic for Immunization against Diphtheria was held by your board and was conducted by the Physicians of the board, Dr. H. M. DeWolfe of the State Department of Public Health and the Doctors were assisted by your School Nurse and the District Nurses. About 950 pre school and school children received inoculations. This clinic was a successful one and it is the aim of the board to try and impress upon parents, especially those with children of pre school age, the importance of having them inoculated against this dreaded disease Diphtheria. Medical Science has gone a long way the last few years in getting control of this disease, and in order to hold this control it is the duty of the parent to co-operate to the fullest extent. Parents whose children have not received innoculations should have it done by their family Doctor or at the clinic when held.

You will notice by this report that we have had a number of Gonorrhea and Syphilis cases reported, so many in fact that the Board feels that a word should be said in regard to the same. We are always greatly concerned over the number of Automobile accidents each year, but the time has come when everyone should be greatly alarmed at the increasing numbers of cases of Gonorrhea and Syphilis. These two diseases cause five times more permanent disability in the course of a year than received from automobile accidents. It is time that the citizens begin to realize the seriousness of this undercover disease.

Our demands for aid did not diminish this year and the latter part of the year additional demands have been made that will have to be taken care of in 1937 which will call for an increased budget over 1936. This aid refers to Tuberculosis cases.

Some few years ago the Selectmen of the Town established a Town dump on Beaver St. This is the Dump that is to be used by the citizens of the Town, and the Board of Health wish it to be understood that no other piece of property, public or private, can be used

for a dumping ground, other than the one designated. Persons violating health regulations shall forfeit a sum not exceeding ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. CROWLEY, Chairman  
GEORGE I. PECK  
CHARLES B. HUSSEY

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### **BOARD OF HEALTH BUDGET FOR 1937.**

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Estimate for Salaries	\$1000.00
Estimate for Aid	1650.00
Estimate for Medical Aid	150.00
Estimate Immunization against Diphtheria	100.00
Estimate for Office Expense	25.00
Estimate for Transportation	40.00
Estimate for Vital Statistics	35.00
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	\$3000.00

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### **REPORT OF THE AGENT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH, INSPECTOR OF SLAUGHTERING, DAIRY AND MILK INSPECTOR**

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**For the year ending December 31st, 1936.**

To the Board of Health:

I hereby submit my report of the above mentioned offices:

Quarantined cases of Scarlet Fever	34
Placarded cases of Measles	30

Fumigated rooms for all causes 41

As Inspector of Slaughtering, inspected and stamped 3 hogs.

On Sanitary Inspections, the following nuisances and violations of health regulations were ordered abated:

Source of filth in dwellings 3

Source of filth in stores 4

Source of filth in yards and vacant lots 6

Cesspools repaired off sewer line 3

Repairs ordered to plumbing systems 2

Violation of food regulations ordered abated 9

Ordered the burial of dead animals 3

Inspections of Milk Producers Premises 54

Issued the following licenses and permits, collected fees and other funds due the department and remitted the same to the Town Treasurer:

2 Milk Producers' Permits	(No Charge)
1 Pasturization License	\$10.00
49 Milk Licenses at .50¢	24.50
7 Oleomargarine Permits at .50¢	3.50
18 Alcohol Licenses at \$1.00	18.00
5 Garbage Permits at \$1.00	5.00
2 Undertakers Licenses at \$1.00	2.00
3 Ice Cream Licenses at \$1.00	3.00
Received from State Subsidy "TB"	56.43

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\$122.43

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. RILEY,

Agent and Inspector.

## SELECTMEN'S ESTIMATE OF DEPARTMENT EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 1937

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Selectmen .....	\$3000.00
Auditor .....	300.00
Assessors .....	2100.00
Town Clerk .....	700.00
Elections & Registrations .....	800.00
Law .....	1500.00
Finance Account .....	50.00
Town Hall .....	500.00
Police Department .....	13400.00
Fire Department .....	9500.00
Weights & Measures .....	350.00
Gypsy Moth .....	1000.00
Shade Trees .....	600.00
Forest Fire .....	1500.00
Inspection of Animals .....	225.00
Sewer & Sewer Beds .....	7000.00
Roads .....	19000.00
Street Lighting .....	11350.00
Tarvia .....	10000.00
Welfare .....	37000.00
Old Age Assistance .....	17000.00
Mothers' Aid & Aid to Dependent Children .....	6000.00
Schools .....	121126.30
Commons .....	500.00
Decoration Day .....	300.00
Town Reports .....	900.00
Municipal Indebtedness .....	27000.00
Interest .....	10000.00
Library .....	1800.00
Health .....	3000.00
Inspection of School Children .....	600.00
Treasurer .....	2460.00
Tax Collector .....	3500.00
Soldiers' Benefits .....	8000.00







**FRANKLIN TOWN RECORDS  
FOR THE YEAR 1936**



## WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

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January 28th, 1936

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### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin,  
in the County of Norfolk.

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the qualified voters of the said Town of Franklin, to assemble in their High School, on Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of January A. D. 1936, it being the fourth Tuesday in said January, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote for the use of the School Committee, in the repair of the Ray School, the \$15,000.00 (fifteen thousand dollars) received from the insurance company as a settlement on the fire damages to the said Ray School, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from the Free Cash Account, to the use of the School Committee, the sum of \$4000.00 (Four thousand dollars) for further necessary repairs to the Ray School Building.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of meeting as directed by vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, at the time and place of meeting.

Given under our hands this seventeenth day of January A. D. 1936.

ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
JOHN B. CATALDO,  
DANIEL A. CODY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

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## RETURN OF WARRANT

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Franklin, Mass.

January 20, 1936

By virtue of the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, herein-described, to assemble in our Franklin High School, on Tuesday, the Twenty-eighth day of January A. D. 1936, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening, for the purpose within mentioned, by posting attested copies of the within warrant in each of the post offices of the town and in ten other public places, in compliance with Section two of Article One of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin.

CARL F. ENGLER,

Constable of Franklin.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL  
TOWN MEETING**

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**January 28, 1936**

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Meeting called to order at 8 P. M. by the Moderator. Warrant and return thereon read by the Town Clerk. The Moderator appointed Thomas F. Keefe, John W. Adams, Theodore R. Roth and Daniel A. Cody as tellers and they were sworn as such by the Moderator and they did ascertain that there were 77 voters present, and the meeting proceeded as follows:

Article I. Voted unanimously that the town vote to appropriate the money received from the Insurance Companies, as adjustment on loss, occasioned by fire in Ray School, so called, and the School Committee be authorized to expend said funds for repairs of said building.

Article II. Voted unanimously that the town vote to appropriate the sum of \$4000, in addition to the amount appropriated under Article I, for the purpose of making further necessary repairs to the fire-damaged Ray School, so called, said appropriation to be taken from available cash on hand in the Town Treasury, said sum to be expended under the direction of the School Committee.

And on motion the meeting adjourned at 8:15 P. M.

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

## WARRANT FOR THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

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**February 11, 1936**

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### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin,  
in the County of Norfolk.

Greetings:

You are hereby required in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to notify and warn the qualified voters of the said Town of Franklin, to assemble in their Town Hall, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of February A. D. 1936, it being the second Tuesday in said February, at six o'clock in the forenoon and remain in session until six o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz:

Article 1. To choose by ballot the following Town officers, viz: — A Moderator, three Selectmen, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, an Auditor, three members of the Board of Public Welfare, a Tree Warden, three Constables, all for the term of one year; one Assessor of Taxes, one member of the Board of Health, one member of the School Committee, one member of the Water and Sewer Commissioners and two members of the Town Planning Board, all for the term of three years.

Also upon the same ballot to vote upon the question—  
“Shall the operation of Section 105-B of Chapter 131 of the General Laws, requiring for the taking of fur-



bearing animals the use of traps that kill at once, or take such animals alive unharmed, be suspended within this Town."

Article 2. To choose all other necessary Town Officers.

Article 3. To hear a report of the Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning Jan. 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the following purposes, to wit:—

1. For general government, including the compensation and expense of the Selectmen, Auditor, Collector of Taxes, Treasurer, Assessors of Taxes, Town Clerk, also for Election and Registration, Town Hall and other finance accounts.
2. For Protection of Persons and Property, including the payment of Police and Suppression of Illegal Liquor Traffic, Support of Fire Department, Sealing of Weights and Measures, Extermination of Gypsy Moths, etc., Trimming of Shade Trees and for Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires.
3. For Health and Sanitation, including expenses of the Board of Health, Inspection of Animals, Inspection of Meats and Provisions, Inspection of School Children, Construction and Maintenance of Sewer and Sewer Beds.

4. For Highways and Bridges, including construction and repair of Roads, Bridges, Sidewalks, Street Lighting, Street Sprinkling and all other Highway Expenses.
5. For Public Charities, including compensation and expenses of the Board of Public Welfare, expense at the Almshouse, and for aid to Outside Poor and Old Age Assistance.
6. For Soldiers' Benefits, including State Aid, Soldiers' Relief, and Soldiers' Burials.
7. For Education, including all the expenses of the School Committee.
8. For the Franklin Public Library.
9. For the Improvement of the Commons.
10. For Unclassified Accounts, including the Decoration of Soldiers' Graves, Printing of the Town Report.
11. For the Maintenance and Operation of the Water Department, including the compensation of the Water Commissioners.
12. For the payment of Interest on Town Debts.
13. For the payment of Municipal Indebtedness.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to use the interest of the Lucretia Pond Fund not otherwise provided for, for the care of Town Cemeteries, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) for the care of the Union Street Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for the care of the City Mills Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from the income of the Fletcher Fund for the construction and equipment of a playground and recreational field, on "Fletcher Field," to be expended under the direction of the Playground and Recreation Committee.

Article 10. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in this town during the ensuing year.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.) for the use of the local Works Progress Administration, and, or any other local Federal Agency, conditional upon funds being contributed by the Federal Government, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1600.00) for the repair and maintenance of Chapter 90 roads, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 13. To see whether or not the town will purchase from Matthew J. Van Leeuwen for use in connection with the Joseph G. Ray Swimming Pool the lots numbered 82-83-84 and 111 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as #2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court, with Certificate #6378, and grant or appropriate the sum of (\$105.08) One Hundred and five dollars and eight cents therefor, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 14. To see whether or not the Town will accept a deed from Eagle Realty Company conveying to the Town of Franklin the lots numbered 112 and 113 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as #2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court, with certificate #6378, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a Street Light on the corner of Cleveland Avenue and Gallison Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private way known as Garden Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to extend the water mains along Oak and Pond Streets, or do anything relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$7000.00) Seven Thousand Dollars for the improvement of Chestnut Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3500) for the improvement of King Street, starting at the junction of East Central Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) to foreclose tax liens now held by the Town, or do anything relating thereto.



Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the amount of \$997.83 from the Overlay Reserve Fund to a Special Reserve Fund to be used for extraordinary or unforeseen expenses, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary of the Town Auditor at Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) a year, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$880) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Main Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty-Seven Dollars (\$1327.00) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Chestnut Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the private way known as Reid Street, running from Beaver Street to Stubbs Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the way known as Stubbs Street, running from Reid Street to Lee Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the private way known as Lee Street, running between Beaver Street and Farrington Street, a distance of about two hundred yards, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$800.00) Eight Hundred Dollars for the purchase of a new car for the Police Department, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000) for the cutting of Brush along the various town highways, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 30. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the appointment of a committee to investigate the feasibility of remodeling the Town Hall for Town offices and Police Headquarters, said committee to report at the next town meeting.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the Dog License money received for the present year, for the support of the Schools or the Public Library.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under tax title procedure provided that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to make suitable improvements upon and tar the surface of Beach Street, running from Pond Street to the Bellingham line, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000) for material to complete the town surface drain off West Central Street through the properties of the Clark-Cutler-McDermott Company and the American Felt Company, or do anything relating thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$3500) Thirty-Five Hundred Dollars for the purchase of equipment for the Highway Department, or do anything relating thereto.



Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to change Section 2 of Article 1 of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin so that it will read as follows: "The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and meetings shall be notified, by posting attested copies of the warrants in not less than five places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting."

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries of the Board of Public Welfare at \$350.00 a year for the Chairman and \$200.00 a year for each of the other members, or do anything relating thereto.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, seven days at least before the time of meeting as directed by the vote of the Town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon, at the time and place of meeting.

Given under our hands this thirtieth day of January A. D. 1936.

ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
JOHN B. CATALDO,  
DANIEL A. CODY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

## RETURN OF WARRANT

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Franklin, Mass.

February 5, 1936

By virtue of the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, herein described, to assemble in our Town Hall on Tuesday, the Eleventh day of February A. D. 1936 at six o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose within mentioned, by posting attested copies of the within warrant in each of the post offices of the town and in ten other public places, in compliance with Section Two of Article One of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin.

CARL F. ENGLER,

Constable of Franklin.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

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**February 11th, 1936**

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Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the inhabitants of the aforesaid Town of Franklin, qualified to vote in Town affairs, met at the Town Hall, in said town, on the second Tuesday of February, it being the eleventh day of said month, A. D. 1936.

Due to the illness of the Moderator, the meeting was called to order at the time and place named in said war-

rant, by the Town Clerk, and the warrant and return thereon was read by the Town Clerk, excepting the articles numbered 3 and 5 to 37, both inclusive.

On Jan. 29, 1936 the Selectmen appointed the following Ballot Clerks: Mary Donnelly, Eleanor M. Rosa, Charles Mason, Fred DeBaggis, Mary L. Bardol, Aaron G. Pond. Checkers: Harlan Mackenzie, Rose Hutchinson, Elizabeth Connors, Frank Hawkins. Tellers: John J. Keefe, Kathryn L. Leary, Marjorie A. Besse, Florence Enegren, Francis L. Cody, Joseph Vipraio, Thomas Keefe (election officer), Daniel D'Amico, Fred L. Tufts, Mary Healey, Frank A. Duff, Ella S. Shangraw, James N. Blanchard. And they were sworn as such by the Town Clerk.

Before the opening of the polls the said Clerk delivered to the Ballot Clerks a bundle packed and sealed as required by law, containing 3560 official ballots, and the receipt of said Ballot Clerks was taken in the following form:

Franklin, Mass., Feb. 11, 1936

Received of Michael J. Costello, Town Clerk of Franklin, a sealed package said to contain 3560 official ballots, to be used at the election held in the Town this day.

Mary A. Donnelly  
Aaron G. Pond  
Eleanor Rosa  
Charles M. Mason  
Fred DeBaggis  
Mary L. Bardol

The cards of instructions and specimen ballots were posted in each of the marking shelves or compartments, provided by the Selectmen, and a guard rail was set six feet or more from said marking shelves or compartments, as required by law, and the cards of instructions and specimen ballots were posted outside the guard rail, according to law.

Voted that the meeting proceed to vote and elect officers under Article 1 in the warrant.

The ballot box, provided by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, used at the election, was publicly opened and shown to be empty, and was examined by the Moderator and Town Clerk, and found to be empty, and the register thereon was set at 000, and then locked and the key given to officer, and the polls were declared open.

When the ballots were delivered to the voters by the Ballot Clerks, the check list was used, and the name of each voter receiving a ballot was announced and checked thereon by the Ballot Clerks; and the voter so receiving his ballot marked it at the marking shelf or compartment, and then deposited his ballot in the box, as directed by the Moderator. The name of each voter so casting a ballot was announced in a loud and distinct tone of voice and checked up on the check-list by the election officers in charge at said box and list.

At 8:50 o'clock A. M., by unanimous consent of the election officers, the ballots were then taken from the box, which registered 227, and the counting of the ballots then commenced, and in said box there were found to be 227 ballots.

The polls were closed at 6 o'clock P. M. Then the register on the ballot box showed that 2232 ballots had been cast therein, and the names checked on each voting list were then counted by the election officers in a distinct and audible voice, and the number checked was 2232, which was announced.

All the ballots cast by the voters as aforesaid were sorted, counted and declaration thereof made by the Town Clerk in open meeting, as follows, viz:—

#### FOR MODERATOR

Harry J. Webb, Nom. Papers	
Had Thirteen hundred fifty	1350
Blanks, Eight hundred eighty-two	882

And the said Harry J. Webb was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 13.

#### FOR SELECTMEN

John B. Cataldo, Nom. Papers	
Had Twelve hundred fifty-five	1255
Daniel A. Cody, Nom. Papers	
Had Eight hundred twenty-five	825
Albert F. Granger, Nom. Papers	
Had Eleven hundred sixty-five	1165
Percy G. Lloy, Nom. Papers	
Had Ten hundred fifty-seven	1057
A. Harry Simon, Nom. Papers	
Had Eight hundred forty-four	844
Blanks, Fifteen hundred fifty	1550

And the said John B. Cataldo, Albert F. Granger and Percy G. Lloy were declared elected and Percy G. Lloy was sworn Feb. 11 by the Town Clerk. John B. Cataldo was sworn by Harry J. Webb, Notary Public, Feb. 12. Albert F. Granger was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 13.

#### FOR TOWN CLERK

Michael J. Costello, Nom. Papers	
Had Thirteen hundred fifty-three	1353
Robert H. Doe, Nom. Papers	
Had Seven hundred forty-three	743
Blanks, One hundred thirty-six	136

And the said Michael J. Costello was declared elected and he was sworn by the Moderator Feb. 13.



## TOWN TREASURER

Fred E. Mason, Nom. Papers	
Had Seventeen hundred seventy-eight	1778
Scattering, Six	6
Blanks, Four hundred forty-eight	448

And the said Fred E. Mason was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 11.

## ASSESSOR OF TAXES FOR THREE YEARS

Gaetano E. Barata, Nom. Papers	
Had Four hundred nineteen	419
Leslie H. Ware, Nom. Papers	
Had Ten hundred ninety-three	1093
Herbert S. Woolford, Nom. Papers	
Had Five hundred fifty-seven	557
Blanks One hundred sixty-three	163

And the said Leslie H. Ware was declared elected and the Town Clerk administered to him the oath of office prescribed by law on Feb. 13.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Charles E. Dailey, Nom. Papers	
Had Fourteen hundred fifty-five	1455
William L. Peck, Nom. Papers	
Had Eleven hundred fifty-six	1156
Gregory A. Varjian, Nom. Papers	
Had Five hundred eighty-two	582
Louis Vendetti, Nom. Papers	
Had Twelve hundred seventy-four	1274
Elmer F. Willard, Nom. Papers	
Had Four hundred eighty-six	486
Blanks, Seventeen hundred forty-three	1743



And the said Charles E. Dailey, Louis Vendetti and William L. Peck were declared elected and Charles E. Dailey and William L. Peck were sworn Feb. 11. Louis Vendetti was sworn Feb. 13. All by the Town Clerk.

#### AUDITOR

Henry V. Gregory, Nom. Papers	
Had Twelve hundred and two	1202

Walter E. Morse, Nom. Papers	
Had Eight hundred sixteen	816
Blanks, Two hundred fourteen	214

And the said Henry V. Gregory was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 11.

#### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Robert A. Doherty, Nom. Papers	
Had Seventeen hundred thirteen	1713
Blanks, Five hundred nineteen	519

And the said Robert A. Doherty was declared elected and he was sworn by Town Clerk Feb. 11.

#### SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS

Lee C. Abbott, Nom. Papers	
Had Seven hundred eighty-eight	788

James E. Mather, Nom. Papers	
Had Eight hundred fifty-one	851

James V. Pasquantonio, Nom. Papers	
Had Four hundred ninety-four	494
Blanks, Ninety-nine	99

And the said James E. Mather was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 11.

## BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THREE YEARS

John M. Crowley, Nom. Papers	
Had Seventeen hundred and four	1704
Blanks, Five hundred twenty-eight	528

And the said John M. Crowley was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 12.

WATER AND SEWER COMMISSIONER  
FOR THREE YEARS

Jacob F. Geb, Nom. Papers	
Had Eight hundred thirty-five	835
Arthur A. Keefe, Nom. Papers	
Had Eleven hundred seventy-six	1176
Blanks, Two hundred twenty-one	221

And the said Arthur A. Keefe was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk in open town meeting Feb. 11.

## CONSTABLES

Harold Barnes, Nom. Papers	
Had Fourteen hundred fifty-three	1453
Joseph E. Denton, Nom. Papers	
Had Thirteen hundred and ten	1310
Carl F. Engler, Nom. Papers	
Had Fourteen hundred forty-five	1445
Joseph Pierrie, Nom. Papers	
Had Seven hundred twenty-nine	729
Blanks, Seventeen hundred fifty-nine	1759

And the said Harold Barnes, Carl F. Engler and Joseph E. Denton were declared elected and Carl F. Engler was sworn Feb. 11, Harold Barnes was sworn Feb. 12, Joseph E. Denton was sworn Feb. 15, all by the Town Clerk.

## TOWN PLANNING BOARD FOR THREE YEARS

Donald B. Doe, Nom. Papers	
Had Thirteen hundred sixty	1360

Harry J. Geb, Nom. Papers	
Had Fourteen hundred seventy-six	1476
Scattering, Four	4
Blanks, Sixteen hundred twenty-four	1624

And the said Harry J. Geb and Donald B. Doe were declared elected.

## TREE WARDEN

Joseph P. Murray, Nom. Papers	
Had Four hundred seventy-one	471

John W. Stobbart, Nom. Papers	
Had Ten hundred ninety-five	1095

Harold A. Van Leeuwen, Nom. Papers	
Had Five hundred twelve	512
Blanks, One hundred fifty-four	154

And the said John W. Stobbart was declared elected and he was sworn by the Town Clerk Feb. 12.

"Shall the operation of Sec. 105-B of Chap. 131 of the General Laws, requiring for the taking of fur-bearing animals the use of traps that kill at once, or take such animals alive unharmed, be suspended within this Town?"

Yes	778
No	333
Blanks	1121
Whole number of votes cast was	2232
Men 1335, women 897.	

After the declaration of the vote, as aforesaid, all the ballots cast at said election were enclosed in a package, and all the ballots not cast were enclosed in a package, and the voting lists used at said election were enclosed

in an envelope, and each package and envelope were sealed and endorsed by the election officers, according to law.

Article 2. VOTED — That the remaining Town Officers be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 4. VOTED — That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

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**March 4, 1936**

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At a meeting of inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, qualified to vote in Town affairs, held in the High School Gymnasium in said town on Wednesday the 4th day of March 1936, pursuant to the adjournment made on the 11th day of February, the Moderator, Harry J. Webb, called the meeting to order at 7:30 o'clock in the evening and the business proceeded as follows, Viz:—

The Moderator appointed Bernard W. McCabe, Herbert S. Darling, Fred E. Mason and Francis Cody as Tellers and they were sworn as such by the Moderator.

Article 3. To hear a report of the Town Officers and Committees and act thereon.

Voted: That the report of Town Officers and Committees as printed in the Town Report be accepted and the Spanish War Veterans' War Memorial Committee be continued.

Article 5. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the following purposes to wit:—

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate for the following named purposes the following sums of money for the current year:—

1. Selectmen	\$2500.00
including \$292.50 for salaries of the Board, as follows: — \$112.50 for the chairman and \$90.00 each for the other members.	
Auditor	\$300.00
including \$250 for salary.	
Assessors of Taxes	\$2100.00
including compensation for each Assessor at the rate of \$4.80 per day for services rendered.	
Collector of Taxes	\$3225.00
including \$1130.25 for estimated expenses of the department, \$758.75 for compensation due the year 1935, \$1336 on account of compensation 1936 and that the compensation shall be seven-eighths of one per cent on all taxes committed for collection for the current year. Not to exceed \$1800. net.	
Treasurer	\$2300.00
including \$1800 for salary and \$500 for expenses.	
Town Clerk	\$550.00
including \$225 for salary and \$325 for expenses.	



Election and Registrations	\$1200.00
Law Department	\$500.00
Finance Account	\$90.00
Town Hall Maintenance	\$500.00
2. Protection of Persons and Property For payment of Police and Suppression of Illegal Liquor Traffic, the salaries of police to cover all services rendered.	\$12,500.00
Support of Fire Department	\$10,000.00
Sealer of Weights and Measures including \$250 for salary of Sealer and \$100 for expenses.	\$350.00
Extermination of Brown Tail and Gypsy Moths	\$1000.00
Trimming Shade Trees	\$600.00
Forest Fires For Prevention and Suppression of Forest Fires.	\$1000.00
3. Health and Sanitation For Board of Health, including inspection of meats and provisions; all to be expended under direction of the Board of Health.	\$2500.00
Inspection of School Children	\$400.00
Sewer and Sewer Beds including salaries of Sewer Commissioners as follows; — \$45 for the Chairman and \$33.75 each for the other members.	\$4500.00



Inspection of Animals	\$225.00
4. Highways and Bridges For Roads, Bridges and Walks and repairs thereof.	\$18,000.00
Street Lighting	\$11,000.00
Street Sprinkling or purchase of oil, tarvia, or road binder and applying same to streets and walks of the Town.	\$10,000.00
5. Public Charities including compensation and expenses of the Department of Public Welfare, Expenses of Almshouse, Aid to Out- side Poor and Salaries of the Board of Public Welfare as follows:— \$90 for the Chairman and \$67.50 each for the other members.	\$50,000.00
6. Soldiers' Benefits, including State Aid, Soldiers' Burials, and Soldiers' Re- lief.	\$8,000.00
7. Education For support of Schools, including salary of Superintendent, repairing of school-houses and miscellaneous school expenses.	\$114,998.00
8. Support of Library of Franklin Library Association, the association to have power to spend as much of the appro- priation as is not used for the support of the library, for new books.	\$1800.00
9. For Care and Improvement of the Com- mons, to be expended under the direc- tion of the Selectmen.	\$300.00

10. Unclassified Accounts	\$150.00
For decoration of Soldiers' Graves, to be expended under direction of the Selectmen.	
Printing Town Reports	\$674.64
11. Maintenance and operation of the Water Department, including salaries of the Water Commissioners, as follows:— \$45.00 for the chairman and \$33.75 each for the other members; and in addition thereto the unexpended bal- ance in the Treasury, together with the receipts of the Water Department.	\$7500.00
12. Payment of Interest on Town Debts	\$12,000.00
13. Payment of Municipal Indebtedness	\$29,500.00

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Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to use the interest of the Lucretia Pond Fund not otherwise provided for, for the care of Town Cemeteries, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town authorize and empower the Selectmen to expend the interest of the Lucretia Pond Fund, not otherwise provided for, for the care of the Town Cemeteries.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) for the care of the Union Street Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150) for the care of

the Union Street Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for the care of the City Mills Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) for the care of the City Mills Cemetery, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from the income of the Fletcher Fund for the construction and equipment of a playground and recreational field, on "Fletcher Field," to be expended under the direction of the Playground and Recreation Committee.

Voted: That the Town appropriate the sum of \$2485.42 from the income of the Fletcher Fund for the construction and equipment of a playground and recreational field on "Fletcher Field," to be expended under direction of Playground and Recreation Committee.

Article 10. To see if the Town will instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in this town during the ensuing year.

Voted: That the Town instruct the Selectmen to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors in this town during the ensuing year.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), for the use of the local Works Progress Administration, and, or any other local Federal Agency, conditional upon funds being contributed by the Federal Government, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$10,000 to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, for the use of the Local Emergency Relief Administration, and, or, any other local Federal Agency, conditional upon funds being contributed by the Federal Government.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1600.00) for the repair and maintenance of Chapter 90 roads, said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Sixteen hundred dollars (\$1600), to join with the Massachusetts Department of Public Works and the County of Norfolk, in the repair and maintenance of Chapter 90 roads; to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 13. To see whether or not the Town will purchase from Matthew J. Van Leeuwen for use in connection with the Joseph G. Ray Swimming Pool the lots numbered 82, 83, 84 and 111 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as No. 2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court, with Certificate No. 6378, and grant or appropriate the sum of One Hundred and five dollars and eight cents (\$105.08) therefor, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town purchase from Matthew J. Van Leeuwen for use in connection with the Joseph G. Ray Swimming Pool the lots numbered 82, 83, 84 and 111 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as No. 2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court, with Certificate No. 6378, and grant or appropriate the sum of One Hundred and five dollars and eight cents (\$105.08).

Article 14. To see whether or not the Town will accept a deed from Eagle Realty Company conveying to the Town of Franklin the lots numbered 112 and 113 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as No. 2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court, with certificate No. 6378, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept a deed from Eagle Realty Company conveying to the Town of Franklin the lots numbered 112 and 113 on a plan drawn by Arthur R. Raymond, Civil Engineer, dated May 1923 as modified and approved by the Land Court, filed in the Land Registration Office as No. 2984B, a copy of a portion of which is filed in Norfolk Registry district of the Land Court with certificate No. 6378.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to install a Street Light on the corner of Cleveland Avenue and Gallison Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town install one Street Light on the corner of Cleveland Avenue and Gallison Street.

Article 16. To see if the Town will accept as a public way, the private way known as Garden Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept as a public way, the private way known as Garden Street as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) to extend the water mains along Oak and Pond Streets, or do anything relative thereto.

Voted: In consideration of the financial condition of the Town due to approximately \$1,000,000 loss in valuation in the last ten years and estimated loss of \$100,000



in 1936 and in consideration of the heavy bond payments due during the next five years and also considering the great amount of property the Town has been forced to take for Tax Liens due to inability of owners to meet their taxes, that this article be postponed indefinitely.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$7000.00) Seven Thousand Dollars for the improvement of Chestnut Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7000) for the improvement of Chestnut Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen with the approval of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3500) for the improvement of King Street, starting at the junction of East Central Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, for this purpose, or take any other action in relation thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3500) for the improvement of King Street, starting at the junction of East Central Street; said money to be used in conjunction with any money which may be allotted by the State or County, or both, the same to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen with the approval of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) to foreclose tax liens now held by the Town, or do anything relating thereto.



Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) to foreclose tax liens now held by the Town.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to transfer the amount of \$997.83 from the overlay Reserve Fund to a Special Reserve Fund to be used for extraordinary or unforeseen expenses, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town transfer the amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5000) from the Overlay Reserve Fund to a Special Reserve Fund to be used for extraordinary or unforeseen expenses.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary of the Town Auditor at Five Hundred Dollars (\$500) a year, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$880) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Main Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred and Eighty Dollars (\$880) to pay land damages caused by relocation of Main Street, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred and Twenty-Seven Dollars (\$1327.00) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Chestnut Street, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Thirteen Hundred and Twenty-Seven Dollars (\$1327) to pay land damages caused by the relocation of Chestnut Street, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the private way known as Reid Street, running from Beaver Street to Stubbs Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept as a public way the private way known as Reid Street, running from Beaver Street to Stubbs Street, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the way known as Stubbs Street, running from Reid Street to Lee Street, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept as a public way the private way known as Stubbs Street, running from Reid Street, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way the private way known as Lee Street, running between Beaver Street and Farrington Street, a distance of about two hundred yards, as laid out by the Selectmen, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town accept as a public way the private way known as Lee Street, running between Beaver Street and Farrington Street, a distance of about two hundred yards, as laid out by the Selectmen.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$800.00) Eight Hundred Dollars for the purchase of a new car for the Police Department, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) for the purchase of a new car for the Police Department, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000) for the cutting of Brush along the various town highways, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 30. To see what action the Town will take in regard to the appointment of a committee to investigate the feasibility of remodeling the Town Hall for Town offices and Police Headquarters, said committee to report at the next town meeting.

Voted: That a committee of five be appointed by the Moderator to investigate the feasibility of remodeling the Town Hall for town offices and police headquarters; and also to investigate the advisability of the construction of a building to house any and all town offices, town hall, court-rooms and police headquarters, said committee to report at the next town meeting.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Town vote to authorize the Selectmen, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the Town under Tax Title procedure provided that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to make suitable improvements upon and tar the surface of Beach Street, running from Pond Street to the Bellingham line, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That this article be referred to the Board of Selectmen for consideration.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000.) for material to complete the town surface drain off West Central Street through the properties of the Clark-Cutler-McDermott Company and the American Felt Company, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000) for material and labor to complete the Town surface drain off West Central Street through the properties of the Clark-Cutler-McDermott Company and the American Felt Company, providing proper easements are received from the Clark-Cutler-McDermott Company and the American Felt Company for the laying and maintenance of pipe, all to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of (\$3500) Thirty-Five Hundred Dollars for the purchase of equipment for the Highway Department, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That the Town raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-Five Hundred Dollars (\$3500) for the purchase of equipment for the Highway Department, to be expended under the direction of the Selectmen.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to change Section 2 of Article 1 of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin so that it will read as follows: "The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and meetings shall be notified, by posting attested copies of the warrants in not less than five places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting."

Voted: That the Town change Section 2 of Article 1 of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin so that it will read as follows: "The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and meetings shall be notified, by posting attested copies of the warrants in not less than five places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting."



Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries of the Board of Public Welfare at \$350.00 a year for the Chairman and \$200.00 a year for each of the other members, or do anything relating thereto.

Voted: That this article be indefinitely postponed.

The Moderator appointed the following named persons as the Advisory Committee: Albert H. Mann, Thomas F. Keefe, Ernest B. Parmenter, Fred E. DeBaggis, Clinton S. Clark, John T. Sullivan, Charles E. Lougee, Francis W. Loucks, Gilbert W. Rich, Joseph P. Cataldo, Michael J. Kearney, Joseph Yadisernia, Walter F. Bennett, Leonard L. F. Remington, Daniel A. Cody.

And on motion, at 10.30 the meeting was adjourned.

A true copy.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

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September 3, 1936.

Michael J. Costello, Town Clerk  
Main Street  
Franklin, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

As Moderator of the Town of Franklin, and acting in compliance with the vote adopted by said Town at the adjourned holding of its last Annual Town Meeting, in disposing of Article 30 of the Warrant by which said meeting was called, I have appointed the following committee:

1. Barnard Bachner, Esquire
2. Thomas F. Keefe, Esquire
3. Arthur W. Robinson, Esquire

4. Harry J. Geb, Esquire
5. Louis F. Fiorani, Esquire

If it is properly within my province so to do, I have designated Barnard Bachner, Esquire, as Chairman of said committee.

Very truly yours,

H. J. WEBB.

HJW:M

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## **TOWN OF FRANKLIN**

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### **Office of Town Clerk**

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March 16, 1936.

Hon. Paul A. Dever  
State House  
Boston, Mass.

Dear Sir:

At the Adjourned Annual Town Meeting held Wednesday, March 4, 1936, the following article was acted upon.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to change Section 2 of Article I of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin so that it will read as follows. "The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and meetings shall be notified by posting attested copies of the warrants in not less than five places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting."

Voted unanimously. That the Town change Section 2 of Article I of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin so



that it will read as follows. "The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and Meetings shall be notified by posting attested copies of the warrants in not less than five places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting."

The following is a copy of the By-Laws of Article I Section 2.

The Warrants for all Town Meetings shall be directed to either of the Constables of the Town, and meetings shall be notified, by posting attested copies of the warrants in each of the Postoffices of the Town, and in not less than five other places open to the public, seven days at least before the day of such meeting.

A true copy of the Article and the action thereon.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

Boston, March 30, 1936.

The foregoing by-law is hereby approved.

PAUL A. DEVER,  
Attorney General.

## WARRANT FOR PARTY PRIMARY

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their Town Hall

**Tuesday, the Twenty-eighth day of April, 1936,**

at two o'clock P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

8 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

8 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.

4 DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

4 ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE to the National Convention of the Republican Party.

2 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 14th Congressional District.

2 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Democratic Party 14th Congressional District.

2 DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party 14th Congressional District.

2 ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES to the National Convention of the Republican Party 14th Congressional District.

# PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

—— Preference for Democratic candidate for President of the United States.

—— Preference for Republican candidate for President of the United States.

DISTRICT MEMBER OF STATE COMMITTEE for each political party for the Fourth Worcester Senatorial District.

10 Members of the Democratic Town Committee.

15 Members of the Republican Town Committee.

1 Delegate to State Convention of the Democratic Party.

1 Delegate to State Convention of the Republican Party.

All the above candidates are to be voted for upon one ballot.

The polls will be open from Two o'clock to Four o'clock P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this first day of April, A. D. 1936.

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

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### RETURN OF WARRANT

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Franklin, Mass.

April 14, 1936

By virtue of the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, herein described, to assemble in our Town Hall on Tuesday, the Twenty-eighth day of April A. D. 1936, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose within mentioned, by posting attested copies of the within warrant in ten places opened to the public, in compliance with Section Two of Article One of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin.

CARL F. ENGLER,

Constable of Franklin.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE PARTY PRIMARY

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### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

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At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, qualified to vote in Primaries for the election of Candidates of Political Parties. In accordance with the foregoing warrant, held in this Town on April 28, 1936. The meeting was called to order at two o'clock in the afternoon by Selectman John B. Cataldo and the warrant and return thereon was read by the Town Clerk.

On April 8, 1936 the Selectmen appointed Florence Enegren and Francis L. Cody as Tellers; Elizabeth Connor, Checker; Mary Donnelly and Ella S. Shangraw as Ballot Clerks, and they were sworn by the Town Clerk before the opening of the polls.

One sealed Box of official ballots said to contain 2074 Republican ballots and 1465 Democratic ballots, were delivered by the Town Clerk to Selectman John B. Cataldo.

The card of instruction and specimen ballots were posted according to law. The ballot box was examined and found to be empty and the register was set at 000 and locked. The Ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, after which the polls were declared open. The ballots were given to each voter by the Ballot Clerks after the name and party designation of each voter had been publicly announced. The ballot delivered to each voter was by him marked and thereafter deposited in the ballot box after his name had been announced and



checked upon the voting list by the election officer in charge. The whole number of ballots delivered to voters by the Ballot Clerks was 268. The ballots of each political party were canvassed and the total result was recorded. The names checked upon the voting list were counted and the check lists used each showed 268 names checked. After the canvass of all votes declaration was made as follows, Viz:—

### Republican Party Nominations

#### DELEGATES AT LARGE

Charles F. Adams of Fairhaven Road, Concord	
Had One hundred nine	109
George F. Booth of 64 Beachmont Street, Worcester	
Had One hundred nine	109
Joseph W. Martin, Jr. of Grove Street, North Attleborough	
Had One Hundred twenty-two	122
Allen T. Treadway of Main Street, Stockbridge	
Had One Hundred twelve	112
Blanks Fifty-six	56

#### ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE

Mary Phillips Bailey of 34 Columbus Ave., Northampton	
Had One hundred two	102
Florence H. Le Fevre of 24 Shattuck Road, Norwood	
Had One hundred seven	107
Wallace Stearns of 60 Charlesgate East, Boston	
Had One hundred four	104
Anna C. M. Tillinghast of 6 W. Bellevue Ave., Cambridge	
Had One hundred ten	110
Blanks Eighty-five	85



## DISTRICT DELEGATES FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Willard A. Ormsbee of 130 High Street, Taunton  
Had One hundred sixteen 116

Cyrus C. Rounseville of 782 Rock Street,  
Fall River  
Had One hundred thirteen 113  
Blanks Twenty-five 25

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES  
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Grace C. Buchanan of 61 Hillside Road, Franklin  
Had One hundred eighteen 118

Rachel Morse of 6 Pleasant Street, Taunton  
Had One hundred one 101  
Blanks Thirty-five 35

## PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Landon, Ninety-four 94  
Hoover, Two 2  
Roosevelt, One 1  
Borah, Two 2  
Blanks, Twenty-eight 28

STATE COMMITTEE  
FOURTH WORCESTER DISTRICT

Joseph H. Doyle of 68 Congress Street, Milford  
Had Forty-four 44

T. Frank Hickey of 721 Main Street,  
Shrewsbury  
Had Sixty-eight 68  
Blanks, Fifteen 15

## DELEGATE TO STATE CONVENTION

William B. Goodwin  
Had One hundred nineteen 119  
Blanks, Six 6  
Scattering, Two 2

## TOWN COMMITTEE

Grace C. Buchanan of 61 Hillside Road Had One hundred eleven	111
Lillian Clark of 77 School Street Had One hundred and nine	109
Florence W. Cowen of 42 Emmons Street Had One hundred and six	106
Agnes B. Dana of 20 Crescent Street Had One hundred and eight	108
Fred DeBaggis of 39 Ruggles Street Had Ninety-five	95
Lila W. Doe of 28 Garfield Street Had One hundred and eight	108
Donald B. Doe of 39 Maple Street Had One hundred and three	103
Ralph A. Gallagher of 94 Dean Avenue Had One hundred and one	101
Harry J. Geb of 235 Main Street Had One hundred and five	105
Jacob F. Geb of 28 High Street Had Ninety-nine	99
John R. Goodwin of 42 Fales Street Had One hundred and four	104
William B. Goodwin of 42 Fales Street Had One hundred and three	103
Charles E. Lougee of 90 Union Street Had One hundred and three	103
Allen W. Manter of Pearl Street Had One hundred and two	102
Louis Vendetti of 28 Washington Street Had Ninety-four	94
Scattering, three	3
Blanks, Three hundred fifty-one	351
Whole number of Republican votes Was One hundred twenty-seven	127

**Democratic Party Nominations**

## DELEGATES AT LARGE

## Group

David I. Walsh of 37 Day Street, Fitchburg Had Eighty-nine	89
Marcus A. Coolidge of 164 Blossom Street, Fitchburg Had Sixty-seven	67
James M. Curley of 350 Jamaicaway, Boston Had Seventy-nine	79
William J. Granfield of 74 Park Drive, Springfield Had Fifty-six	56
Joseph McGrath of 10 Caspian Way, Boston Had Fifty-eight	58
Margaret M. O'Riordan of 14 Asticon Road, Boston Had Sixty-one	61
Elizabeth L. McNamara of 239 Upland Road, Cambridge Had Sixty	60
Grace Hartley Howe of 464 Locust Street, Fall River Had Fifty-nine	59
Blanks, Five hundred ninety-nine	599

## Not Grouped

Timothy E. Carroll of 10 Eighth Street, Cambridge Had Fifteen	15
Alexander F. Sullivan of 92 Woodsworth Street, Boston Had Thirteen	13
Blanks, Two hundred fifty-four	254

# ALTERNATE DELEGATES AT LARGE

## Group

Clementina Langone of 190 North Street, Boston	
Had Fifty-six	56
Mary Maliotis, 272 Foster Street, Boston	
Had Fifty-one	51
Golda R. Walters of 6 Blake Street, Woburn	
Had Forty-eight	48
Sadie H. Mulrone of 48 Terrence Street, Springfield	
Had Fifty	50
Louise B. Clark of 92 Pleasant Street, Bridgewater	
Had Forty-eight	48
H. Oscar Rocheleau of 116 Summer Street, Worcester	
Had Forty-nine	49
Stanley W. Wisnioski of 254 Washington Ave., Chelsea	
Had Forty-six	46
Julian D. Rainey of 40 Waumbeck Street, Boston	
Had Fifty-one	51
Blanks, Seven hundred twenty-nine	729

## DISTRICT DELEGATES FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

### Group

Edmund P. Talbot of 46 Freedom Street, Fall River	
Had Fifty-one	51
Joseph P. Murphy of 2 Monica Street, Taunton	
Had Sixty-six	66
Blanks, One hundred sixty-five	165

## Not Grouped

G. Raymond Reynolds of 510 Broadway Ave., Fall River	
Had Ten	10
Scattering, One	1
Blanks, One hundred thirty	130

ALTERNATE DISTRICT DELEGATES  
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

## Group

James H. McCooey of 22 Main Street, Blackstone	
Had Seventy-two	72
Catherine A. Mahler of 143 Cumberland Ave., Attleborough	
Had Fifty-two	52
Blanks, One hundred fifty-eight	158

## PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

Roosevelt, Fifty-two	52
Scattering, Three	3
Blanks, Eighty-six	86

STATE COMMITTEE  
FOURTH WORCESTER DISTRICT

Francis E. Cassidy of 790 School Street, Webster	
Had Fifty-six	56
Blanks, Eighty-five	85

## DELEGATE TO STATE CONVENTION

Charles E. Dailey of 211 Union Street	
Had Eighty-seven	87
Henry V. Gregory of 244 East Central Street	
Had Forty-eight	48
Blanks, Six	6

## TOWN COMMITTEE

Joseph Yadisernia of 243 Union Street	
Had Sixty-eight	68
Charles E. Dailey of 211 Union Street	
Had Eighty-six	86
Michael J. Kearney of 106 Dean Avenue	
Had Sixty-nine	69
William T. Rice of 28 Nason Street	
Had Sixty-eight	68
John J. Allen of 24 Hayward Street	
Had Sixty-eight	68
William A. Molloy of 481 Union Street	
Had Sixty-nine	69
Bernard F. Callahan of 88 Hillside Road	
Had Sixty-nine	69
Sullivan Potenza of 7 off Howard Street	
Had Sixty	60
Pietro Zeppieri of 58 Wachusett Street	
Had Fifty-eight	58
Ellen Locklin of 107 Fisher Street	
Had Sixty-one	61
Scattering, Seven	7
Blanks, Seven hundred thirty-two	732
Whole number of Democratic votes cast	
Was One hundred forty-one	141

After the declaration of the vote as aforesaid all the ballots cast at said Primary were sealed, and the voting lists were enclosed in an envelope and were indorsed by the election officers. All the ballots not distributed were enclosed and sealed, and check lists were placed in the custody of the Town Clerk.

At a motion at 8.45 P. M. the meeting was adjourned.  
A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

Total vote cast was 268.  
Men — 147.  
Women — 121.



## WARRANT FOR STATE PRIMARY

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### THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

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Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in their Town Hall

**Tuesday, the Fifteenth Day of September, 1936,**

at twelve o'clock P. M. for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth.
Lieutenant Governor	" " "
Secretary of the Commonwealth	" " "
Treasurer and Receiver-General	" " "
Auditor of the Commonwealth	" " "
Attorney General	" " "
Senator in Congress	" " "
Representative in Congress	for 14th Congressional District.

Councillor for 7th Councillor District.

Senator for 4th Worcester  
Senatorial District.

1 Representative in General Court for 11th Norfolk  
Representative District.

Register of Probate and Insolvency for Norfolk  
County.

County Commissioners (2) for Norfolk County

County Treasurer for Norfolk County.

The polls will be open from twelve o'clock P. M. to  
Eight o'clock P. M.

Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with  
your doings thereon at the time and place of said  
meeting.

Given under our hands this First day of September,  
A. D. 1936.

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

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## RETURN OF WARRANT

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Franklin, Mass.

Sept. 4, 1936

By virtue of the within warrant, I have notified and  
warned the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, herein  
described, to assemble in our Town Hall on Tuesday, the  
Fifteenth Day of September A. D. 1936 at twelve o'clock

P. M. for the purpose within mentioned, by posting attested copies of the within warrant in ten places opened to the public, in compliance with Section Two of Article One of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin.

CARL F. ENGLER,

Constable of Franklin.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE PRIMARY

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**Sept. 15, 1936**

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### COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

At a legal meeting of the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, qualified to vote in Primaries, for the nomination of candidates for political parties in accordance with the foregoing warrant, held in this town Sept. 15, 1936. The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Selectmen, John B. Cataldo, and the warrant and return thereon was read by the Town Clerk. On Sept. 9 the Selectmen appointed the following election officers and they were sworn by the Town Clerk: Tellers — Mary L. Bardol, Fred DeBaggis, Mary Healey, James N. Blanchard, Florence Enegren, Francis L. Cody. Checkers — Frank Hawkins, Rose Hutchinson. Ballot Clerks — Elizabeth Connor, Ella S. Shangraw, John J. Keefe, Mary Donnelly.

Thirty voting compartments were provided by the Town and a guard rail was erected six feet or more from said compartments. The cards of instructions and specimen ballots were posted. One box of official ballots

said to contain 2600 Republican Ballots and 1150 Democratic Ballots were delivered by the Town Clerk to John B. Cataldo, Selectman, and his receipt taken therefor in the following form:—

Franklin, Mass., Sept. 15, 1936.

Received from Michael J. Costello, Town Clerk of Franklin, one box said to contain 2600 Republican Ballots and 1160 Democratic Ballots to be used at the Primary held in this Town this day.

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
Selectman.

The official ballot box was publicly opened and shown to be empty, and was examined by the Selectmen and Town Clerk and found to be empty, and the register thereon was set at 000 and then locked, and the key thereof given to the election officer.

The seals of the ballots were broken by John B. Cataldo, Selectman, who delivered the ballots to the Ballot Clerks, after which the polls were declared open.

The ballots were given to each voter by the Ballot Clerks after the name of such voter and the political party to which he had registered, or wished to be registered, had been publicly announced.

The ballot so delivered to each voter was by him marked in one of the voting compartments, and thereafter deposited by such voter in said ballot box, after his name had been publicly announced and duly checked upon the voting list.

The polls were closed at eight o'clock P. M., due notice having been given when the register on the ballot box showed 1258 ballots therein, and upon complete count of all the ballots cast therein it was found that there were 1258 ballots cast into said box and canceled thereby.

The whole number of ballots delivered to voters by the Ballot Clerks was 1258. The ballots of each political party were canvassed and total result was recorded. The names checked upon the voting lists were counted and the check lists used each showed 1258 names checked. After the canvass of all votes declaration was made in open Town Meeting as follows, Viz:—

### Republican Party Nominations

#### FOR GOVERNOR

John W. Haigis of 24 Church Street, Greenfield	
Had Seven hundred eighty-three	783
William McMasters of Boston	
Had Twelve	12
Blanks, One hundred ninety-one	191

#### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Leverett Saltonstall of 240 Chestnut Hill Rd., Newton	
Had Seven hundred seventy-two	772
Blanks, Two hundred fourteen	214

#### SECRETARY

Frederic W. Cook of 75 Benton Road, Somerville	
Had Seven hundred sixty-three	763
Blanks, Two hundred twenty-three	223

#### TREASURER

William E. Hurley of 42 Wheatland Avenue, Boston	
Had Six hundred and two	602
William G. Andrew of 472 Cambridge St., Cambridge	
Had Eighty-five	85
Fred Jefferson Burrell of 41 Washington St., Medford	
Had One hundred and eight	108
Blanks, One hundred ninety-one	191



## AUDITOR

Richard Darby of 18 Gilmore Street, Everett	
Had Two hundred twelve	212
Russell A. Wood of 9 Whittier Street, Cambridge	
Had Four hundred seventy	470
Blanks, Three hundred and four	304

## ATTORNEY GENERAL

Felix Forte of 78 Belmont Street, Somerville	
Had Seven hundred twenty-four	724
Blanks, Two hundred sixty-two	262

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. of 275 Hale Street, Beverly	
Had Six hundred eighty	680
Alonzo B. Cook of 4 Bulfinch Place, Boston	
Had One hundred	100
Guy M. Gray of 15 Russell Street, Greenfield	
Had Thirteen	13
Thomas C. O'Brien of Boston	
Had Twenty-eight	28
Blanks, One hundred sixty-five	165

## CONGRESSMAN, FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Joseph William Martin, Jr., of 54 Grove St., North Attleborough	
Had Seven hundred seventy	770
Lawrence O. Witter of 24 Fayette Place, Taunton	
Had Ninety-eight	98
Blanks, One hundred eighteen	118

## COUNCILLOR, SEVENTH DISTRICT

Leo A. J. Charbonneau of 330 Chandler St., Worcester	
Had One hundred sixty-five	165



Winfield A. Schuster of Douglas	
Had Five hundred ninety-six	596
Blanks, Two hundred twenty-five	225

## SENATOR, FOURTH WORCESTER DISTRICT

Elmer C. Nelson of 102 Congress Street, Milford	
Had Seven hundred and one	701
Thomas C. O'Brien	
Had Three	3
Blanks, Two hundred eighty-two	282

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,  
ELEVENTH NORFOLK DISTRICT

Sydney G. Carpenter, Jr. of North Street, Norfolk	
Had Three hundred eighty-six	386
Donald B. Doe of 39 Maple Street, Franklin	
Had One hundred fourteen	114
Ralph A. Gallagher of 94 Dean Avenue, Franklin	
Had Four hundred and one	401
Clarence F. Telford of 54 Pleasant Street, Plainville	
Had Seventeen	17
Matthew J. Van Leeuwen of 363 West Central Street, Franklin	
Had Forty-three	43
Robert Hill	
Had One	1
Blanks, Twenty-four	24

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

James F. Reynolds of 10 Dayton Street, Quincy	
Had Six hundred twenty-six	626
Blanks, Three hundred sixty	360

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Fred Austerberry of 132 Tremont Street, Braintree	
Had Sixty	60
Edward Avery, 625 Union Street, Braintree	
Had One hundred and two	102
Russell T. Bates of 5 Shelton Road, Quincy	
Had Two hundred thirty-one	231
Robert R. Bishop of 215 Washington Street, Westwood	
Had One hundred twenty-four	124
James I. Forsyth of 4 Holland Terrace, Needham	
Had Forty-six	46
Channing T. Fernald of 15 Graham Terrace, Quincy	
Had Seven	7
Alexander B. Holden of 1 West Street, Medway	
Had Four hundred sixty-one	461
Edward W. Hunt of 59 Front Street, Weymouth	
Had One hundred eighty-four	184
Neil A. McDonald of 54 West Street, Quincy	
Had Fifty-one	51
Blanks, Seven hundred and six	706

COUNTY TREASURER,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Louis F. R. Langelier of 16 Lunt Street, Quincy	
Had One hundred and one	101
Henry P. McLaren of 302 High Street, Westwood	
Had Eighty-five	85
Ralph D. Pettingell of 21 Lowder Street, Dedham	
Had Five hundred fifty	550
Blanks, Two hundred fifty	250

Whole number of Republican votes cast	
Was Nine hundred eighty-six	986

### **Democratic Party Nominations**

#### FOR GOVERNOR

Charles F. Hurley of 57 Fresh Pond Lane, Cambridge	
Had Two hundred sixteen	216
John B. Cataldo	
Had Nine	9
Blanks, Forty-seven	47

#### LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Philip Philbin of 23 Berlin Street, Clinton	
Had Ninety-eight	98
Thomas F. Galvin of 28 Pearl Street, Lawrence	
Had Thirty-two	32
Francis E. Kelly of 24 Topliff Street, Boston	
Had Seventy-six	76
Thomas C. O'Brien	
Had One	1
Blanks Sixty-five	65

#### SECRETARY

Joseph Santosuosso of 60 School Street, Boston	
Had One hundred forty	140
William J. Ahearne of 28 Baker Street, Lynn	
Had Six	6
John J. Buckley of 59 Aquavia Road, Medford	
Had Thirty-nine	39
John D. O'Brien of 68 Decatur Street, Boston	
Had Eighteen	18
Edward W. O'Hearn of 2 Centervale Park, Boston	
Had Six	6

William F. Sullivan of 28 Arborough Road,  
Boston

Had Thirteen	13
Blanks, Fifty	50

#### TREASURER

James C. Scanlon of 25 Munroe Street, Somerville  
Had Eighty-nine

89

James M. Hurley of 131 Pleasant Street,  
Marlborough

Had One hundred twenty-six	126
Blanks, Fifty-seven	57

#### AUDITOR

Thomas H. Buckley of 198 Centre Avenue,  
Abington

Had One hundred sixty-two	162
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Leo D. Walsh of 1 Plummer Place, Boston

Had Thirty-six	36
Blanks, Seventy-four	74

#### ATTORNEY GENERAL

Paul A. Dever of 86 Buckingham Street,  
Cambridge

Had One hundred ninety-five	195
Blanks, Seventy-seven	77

#### SENATOR IN CONGRESS

James M. Curley of 350 Jamaica way, Boston  
Had One hundred forty-four

144

Robert E. Greenwood of 33 Mechanic Street,  
Fitchburg

Had Sixty-nine	69
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Leo O'Brien of Boston

Had Twenty-seven	27
Blanks, Thirty-two	32

## CONGRESSMAN, FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

William C. Hickey of 47 Manton Street, Fall River	
Had Seventy-seven	77
G. Raymond Reynolds of 510 Broadway Ave., Fall River	
Had Fifteen	15
Arthur E. Seagrave of 2097 Highland Ave., Fall River	
Had Seventy-eight	78
Lawrence Witter of Taunton	
Had Twenty-one	21
Blanks, Eighty-one	81

## COUNCILLOR, SEVENTH DISTRICT

Charles J. O'Connor of 41 Pleasant Street, Worcester	
Had One hundred sixty-one	161
Blanks, One hundred eleven	111

## SENATOR, FOURTH WORCESTER DISTRICT

P. Eugene Casey of 30 Purchase Street, Milford	
Had One hundred eighty-nine	189
Arthur J. Mercier of 109 Main Street, Sutton	
Had Twenty-three	23
Thomas C. O'Brien of Boston	
Had Two	2
Blanks, Fifty-eight	58

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,  
ELEVENTH NORFOLK DISTRICT

William N. Connolly of 643 East Central Street, Franklin	
Had One hundred seventy-six	176
William S. Cruickshank of 42 Main Street, Foxborough	
Had Twenty-seven	27

Robert E. Hill of Grove Street, Franklin	
Had Thirty-four	34
Lawrence Witter of Taunton	
Had One	1
Blanks, Thirty-four	34

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Joseph De Roma of Walpole	
Had Thirty-seven	37
Blanks, Two hundred thirty-five	235

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NORFOLK COUNTY

James H. Hurley of 402 North Main Street, Randolph	
Had One hundred fifty-three	153
Albert J. Jordan of 104 Hastings Road, Dedham	
Had Eighty-five	85
Harry Pavan of 7 Intervale Street, Quincy	
Had Seventeen	17
Joseph De Roma of Walpole	
Had Two	2
Blanks, Two hundred eighty-seven	287

COUNTY TREASURER,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Dorothea M. Flynn of 88 Brush Hill Road, Milton	
Had One hundred fifty-five	155
Blanks, One hundred seventeen	117
Whole number of Democratic votes cast	
Was Two hundred seventy-two	272
Whole number of ballots cast	
Was Twelve hundred fifty-eight	1258
Men, Six hundred eighty-eight	688
Women, Five hundred seventy	570



After the declaration of the vote, as aforesaid, all the ballots cast at said Primary were sealed in a box and the voting lists were enclosed in an envelope and each was endorsed by the Election Officers, all the ballots not distributed to voters were enclosed in a box and sealed, the Election Officers certified thereon that said box contained such undistributed ballots, and check lists were placed in custody of the Town Clerk.

And on motion at 10.50 P. M. the meeting was dissolved.

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

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## WARRANT FOR STATE ELECTION

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**Tuesday, November 3, 1936**

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## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Norfolk, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Franklin:

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Elections and in Town Affairs to meet in their Town Hall Tuesday, the Third

Day of November A. D. 1936 at six o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for the following Officers and Questions: Presidential Electors; Governor; Lieutenant Governor; Secretary; Treasurer; Auditor; Attorney General; Senator in Congress; Representative in Congress, for the 14th District; Councillor for the 7th District; Senator for the 4th Worcester District; Representative in General Court for the 11th Norfolk District; Register of Probate and Insolvency for Norfolk County; 2 County Commissioners for Norfolk County; and County Treasurer for Norfolk County, and also upon the same ballot to vote on the following questions:

Question 4. Shall the Representative in the General Court from this district be instructed to vote in favor of amending the State constitution for the purpose of limiting the amount of taxes, for all purposes, which may be legally levied against any real estate within the Commonwealth to a sum not exceeding \$25.00 for each one thousand dollars of assessed valuation?

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

(a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "Yes" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on question one, "Yes" on Question two and "No" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on questions one and two and "Yes" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises

where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on question one and "Yes" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "No" on all three questions.

Question 1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Question 2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Question 3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

The polls will be opened from 6 A. M. to eight P. M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof seven days at least before the time of said meeting, as directed by vote of the town.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this nineteenth day of October, A. D. 1936.

JOHN B. CATALDO,  
ALBERT F. GRANGER,  
PERCY G. LLOY,

Selectmen of Franklin.

## RETURN OF WARRANT

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Franklin, Mass.

October 26, 1936

By virtue of the within warrant, I have notified and warned the inhabitants of the Town of Franklin, herein described, to assemble in their Town Hall on Tuesday, the Third Day of November A. D. 1936, at six o'clock in the morning, for the purpose within mentioned, by posting attested copies of the within warrant in ten places opened to the public, in compliance with Section Two of Article One of the By-Laws of the Town of Franklin.

CARL F. ENGLER,

Constable of Franklin.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE STATE ELECTION

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**Tuesday, November 3d, 1936**

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The meeting was called to order by Selectman Albert F. Granger. The warrant and return thereon was read by the Town Clerk. On Oct. 22 the Selectmen appointed the following election officers: Mary Donnolly, John J. Keefe, Ella S. Shangraw, Roy R. Cook, Mrs. Feeley, Elizabeth Connor—Ballot Clerks; Rose Hutchinson, Frank Hawkins, Kathryn Leary, Margaret O'Brien—Checkers; Francis L. Cody, Florence Enegren, James N. Blanchard, Mary Healey, Fred DeBaggis, Mary Bardol,

George Rickard, Ann Donahue — Tellers, and they were sworn as such by the Town Clerk.

The marking stalls were provided by the town and guard rails were erected six feet or more from said stalls. The ballots were provided by the Secretary of State and were delivered by the Town Clerk to the Selectman and his receipt taken therefor in the following form, Viz:—

Franklin, Mass., Nov. 3, 1936

Received from Michael J. Costello, Town Clerk of Franklin, 2 Boxes said to contain 4379 official ballots for use at said election.

ALBERT F. GRANGER,

Selectman.

The ballot box was publicly opened and shown to be empty and was examined by the Selectman and Town Clerk and the register was set at 000 and then locked and the key given to Officer John Coughlin and the polls were declared open. The ballots were delivered to the Ballot Clerks, and the cards of instruction and specimen ballots were posted. The ballots were delivered to each voter by the Ballot Clerks after the name of each voter had been publicly announced and checked by said clerks upon the voting lists. The ballots delivered to each voter was by them marked and deposited in said ballot box after their name had been checked upon the voting list used by the election officers in charge of said box and list.

At 7:15 A. M. by unanimous consent of the election officers the ballots were removed from said box for the purpose of counting when the register showed 183 ballots cast and the tellers did ascertain that there were 183 ballots cast therein. The polls were closed at 8 P. M. when the register showed 3162 ballots cast therein. The whole number of ballots delivered to the voters by the ballot clerks was 3160. There were 40 A. V. ballots checked and deposited according to law. The names checked upon the voting lists were counted and the lists



showed 3200 names checked. All check lists used were furnished by the Board of Registrars. After the completion of the canvass declaration thereof was made in open town meeting as follows, Viz:—

#### ELECTORS OF PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

Aiken and Teichert, Socialist Labor Party	
Had Three	3
Browder and Ford, Communist Party	
Had Two	2
Colvin and Watson, Prohibition	
Had Two	2
Landon and Knox, Republican	
Had Thirteen hundred sixty-one	1361
Lemke and O'Brien, The Union Party	
Had One hundred thirty-eight	138
Roosevelt and Garner, Democratic	
Had Sixteen hundred twenty-nine	1629
Thomas and Nelson, Socialist Party	
Had Four	4
Blanks, Sixty-one	61

#### GOVERNOR

Fred G. Bushold of Lawrence, Union-Coughlin-Townsend	
Had Nineteen	19
Alfred H. Evans of Northfield, Prohibition	
Had Five	5
John W. Haigis of Greenfield, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred and five	1405
Horace I. Hillis of Saugus, Socialist Labor Party	
Had Five	5
Otis Archer Hood of Boston, Communist Party	
Had Four	4
Charles F. Hurley of Cambridge, Democratic	
Had Fifteen hundred sixty-nine	1569



<b>Alfred Baker Lewis of Cambridge, Socialist Party</b>	
Had Ten	10
<b>William H. McMasters of Cambridge, The Union Party</b>	
Had One hundred and two	102
Blanks, Eighty-one	81

## LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

<b>Henning A. Blowman of Cambridge, Socialist Labor Party</b>	
Had Five	5
<b>Freeman W. Follett of Haverhill, Prohibition</b>	
Had Eight	8
<b>Walter S. Hutchins of Greenfield, Socialist Party</b>	
Had Thirteen	13
<b>Francis E. Kelly of Boston, Democratic</b>	
Had Fifteen hundred fifty-four	1554
<b>Leverett Saltonstall of Newton, Republican</b>	
Had Fourteen hundred sixty-three	1463
<b>Paul C. Wicks of Greenfield, Communist</b>	
Had Eight	8
Blanks, One hundred forty-nine	149

## SECRETARY

<b>Frederic W. Cook of Somerville, Republican</b>	
Had Fourteen hundred ninety-three	1493
<b>Ralph Dow of New Bedford, Socialist Party</b>	
Had Sixteen	16
<b>George L. McGlynn of Springfield, Socialist Labor Party</b>	
Had Nine	9
<b>Mary E. Moore of Boston, Communist Party</b>	
Had Six	6
<b>Joseph Santosuosso of Boston, Democratic</b>	
Had Fourteen hundred eighty	1480
Blanks, One hundred ninety-six	196

## TREASURER

Thomas Gilmartin of Boston, Socialist Labor Party	
Had Nine	9
Mabelle M. Groves of Newton, Prohibition	
Had Three	3
Harold J. Hatfield of Belmont, Independent	
Progressive	
Had Ten	10
Eva Hoffman of Boston, Communist Party	
Had Seven	7
James M. Hurley of Marlborough, Democratic	
Had Fifteen hundred twenty	1520
William E. Hurley of Boston, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred ninety-six	1496
Sylvester J. McBride of Watertown, Socialist	
Party	
Had Nine	9
Blanks, One hundred forty-six	146

## AUDITOR

Lyman M. Aldrich of Worcester, Prohibition	
Had Twelve	12
Thomas H. Buckley of Arlington, Democratic	
Had Fifteen hundred thirty-seven	1537
Richard Darby of Everett, Independent	
Had Thirteen	13
Elizabeth Donovan of North Brookfield, Socialist	
Party	
Had Ten	10
Alfred Haase of Fitchburg, Communist Party	
Had Four	4
Walter J. Hogan of Springfield, Socialist Labor	
Party	
Had Eight	8

Russell A. Wood of Cambridge, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred and three	1403
Blanks, Two hundred thirteen	213

## ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Morris Berzon of Everett, Socialist Party	
Had Eleven	11
Paul A. Dever of Cambridge, Democratic	
Had Fourteen hundred eighty-one	1481
Felix Forte of Somerville, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred ninety-nine	1499
George F. Hogan of Nahant, Prohibition	
Had Five	5
Fred E. Oelcher of Peabody, Socialist Labor Party	
Had Six	6
Michael Tuysuzian of Chelsea, Communist Party	
Had Eight	8
Blanks, One hundred ninety	190

## SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Alonzo B. Cook of Boston, Townsendite- Prohibition-Economy	
Had Thirteen	13
Albert Sprague Coolidge of Cambridge, Socialist Party	
Had Eight	8
James M. Curley of Boston, Democratic	
Had Thirteen hundred thirty-one	1331
Ernest L. Dodge of Beverly, Socialist Labor Party	
Had Seven	7
Charles Flaherty of Boston, Communist Party	
Had Three	3
Guy M. Gray of Greenfield, Townsend- Social Justice	
Had Ten	10

Moses H. Gulesian of Newton, Townsend Plan	
Had Fourteen	14
Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr. of Beverly, Republican	
Had Fifteen hundred fourteen	1514
Wilbur D. Moon of Lynn, Prohibition	
Had Three	3
Thomas C. O'Brien of Boston, The Union Party	
Had One hundred sixty-nine	169
Blanks, One hundred twenty-eight	128

## CONGRESSMAN, FOURTEENTH DISTRICT

Joseph William Martin, Jr. of North Attleborough,	
Republican	
Had Sixteen hundred fifteen	1615
Arthur E. Seagrave of Fall River, Democratic	
Had Twelve hundred nineteen	1219
Lawrence O. Witter of Taunton, Union Party	
Had Two hundred twenty-four	224
Blanks, One hundred forty-two	142

## COUNCILLOR, SEVENTH DISTRICT

Charles J. O'Connor of Worcester, Democratic	
Had Fifteen hundred eighty-six	1586
Winfield A. Schuster of Douglas, Republican	
Had Thirteen hundred eighty-six	1386
Arthur J. Whitney of Ashby, Socialist Party	
Had Twenty-five	25
Blanks, Two hundred and three	203

## SENATOR, FOURTH WORCESTER DISTRICT

P. Eugene Casey of Milford, Democratic	
Had Fifteen hundred eighty-seven	1587
Elmer C. Nelson of Milford, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred forty	1440
Blanks, One hundred seventy-three	173

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,  
ELEVENTH NORFOLK DISTRICT

Sydney G. Carpenter, Jr. of Norfolk, Republican	
Had Thirteen hundred seventy-seven	1377
William N. Connolly of Franklin, Democratic	
Had Seventeen hundred twenty	1720
Blanks, One hundred three	103

REGISTER OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Joseph H. De Roma of Walpole, Democratic	
Had Fourteen hundred sixty-eight	1468
James F. Reynolds of Quincy, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred seventeen	1417
Blanks, three hundred fifteen	315

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Russell T. Bates of Quincy, Republican	
Had Twelve hundred seventy-one	1271
Edward W. Hunt of Weymouth, Republican	
Had Twelve hundred twenty-nine	1229
James H. Hurley of Randolph, Democratic	
Had Fourteen hundred sixty-three	1463
Albert J. Jordan of Dedham, Democratic	
Had Ten hundred seventy-nine	1079
Blanks, Thirteen hundred fifty-eight	1358

COUNTY TREASURER,  
NORFOLK COUNTY

Dorothea M. Flynn of Milton, Democratic	
Had Fourteen hundred sixty	1460
Ralph D. Pettingell of Dedham, Republican	
Had Fourteen hundred sixty-eight	1468
Blanks, Two hundred seventy-two	272

To obtain a full expression of opinion, voters should vote on all three of the following questions:—

- (a) If a voter desires to permit the sale in this town



of any and all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "YES" on all three questions.

(b) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages only to be drunk on and off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one, "YES" on question two and "NO" on question three.

(c) If he desires to permit the sale herein of all alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on questions one and two and "YES" on question three.

(d) If he desires to permit the sale herein of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on and off the premises where sold and in addition other alcoholic beverages but only in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on question one and "YES" on questions two and three.

(e) If he desires to prohibit the sale herein of any and all alcoholic beverages whether to be drunk on or off the premises where sold, he will vote "NO" on all three questions.

1. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	1561
No	998

2. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	1556
No	891

3. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes	1643
No	815
Blanks	2136

## QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY

"Shall the Representative in the General Court from this district be instructed to vote in favor of amending the State constitution for the purpose of limiting the amount of taxes, for all purposes, which may be legally levied against any real estate within the Commonwealth to a sum not exceeding \$25.00 for each one thousand dollars of assessed valuation?"

Yes	1585
No	402
Blanks	1213

After the declaration of the vote as aforesaid all the ballots cast were duly sealed and certified and delivered to the Town Clerk. The voting lists were enclosed in an envelope and sealed. The presiding officer caused all ballots not used to be enclosed in a box and sealed and they were delivered with the voting lists to the Town Clerk.

Whole number of ballots cast

Was Thirty-two hundred	3200
Men, Seventeen hundred forty-three	1743
Women, Fourteen hundred fifty-seven	1457

On Motion at 2.25 A. M., Nov. 4, the meeting was dissolved.

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

**MEETING OF THE TOWN CLERKS  
OF THE ELEVENTH NORFOLK  
REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT**

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The Clerks of the Towns of Wrentham, Norfolk, Franklin, Foxborough and Plainville, comprising the Norfolk Representative District Number Eleven, at their meeting held in the Selectmen's Rooms in said Franklin, on Friday the 13th day of November, 1936, it being the tenth day following the day of election, at twelve o'clock noon on said day, made out under their hands the following complete returns of all votes cast for Representative in General Court, in said district, as follows, Viz:—

Whole number of votes cast including blanks	
Was Eighty-two hundred twenty-six	8226
Sydney G. Carpenter, Jr. of Norfolk	
Had Forty-seven hundred ninety-three	4793
William N. Connolly of Franklin	
Had Thirty hundred and eighty	3080

And did ascertain from the following canvass that Sydney G. Carpenter, Jr. of Norfolk was duly elected and made certificates of his election, one of which was to the Town of Norfolk to be served on said Sydney G. Carpenter, Jr., and one was sent to the Secretary of State, as the law requires.

Witness our hands at Franklin this 13th day of November 1936.

Franklin A. Dunlap, Town Clerk of Wrentham.  
George F. Campbell, Town Clerk of Norfolk.  
John W. Richardson, Town Clerk of Foxborough.  
Arthur W. Washburn, Town Clerk of Plainville.  
Michael J. Costello, Town Clerk of Franklin.

## THE VOTE BY TOWNS

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	<b>Carpenter</b>	<b>Connolly</b>	<b>Blanks</b>
Franklin	1377	1720	103
Foxborough	1471	709	107
Wrentham	801	335	63
Plainville	629	146	57
Norfolk	515	170	23
	<hr/> 4793	<hr/> 3080	<hr/> 353

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

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## RECOUNT HELD DEC. 5, 1936 FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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The Registrars did ascertain that Francis E. Kelly gained four (4) votes and Leverett Saltonstall lost four (4) votes.

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,  
Town Clerk.

January 7, 1937.

M. J. Costello, Town Clerk

Dear Sir:—

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that I have today appointed the following persons as members of the Advisory Committee of the Town of Franklin, and have written to each of said persons informing him of his appointment.

1. Arthur W. Robinson to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Albert H. Mann.
2. John F. Conroy to fill the vacancy caused by the death of John T. Sullivan.
3. Connor J. Pond to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Francis W. Loucks.

Very truly yours,

HARRY J. WEBB,

Moderator of the Town of Franklin.

A true record.

Attest:—

MICHAEL J. COSTELLO,

Town Clerk.



## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN FOR THE YEAR 1936

Date	Name of Child	Parents
1934		
Dec. 11	Mary Ursula McDermott	F. Roland—Margaret C.
1935		
Dec. 30.	Floyd Lathern Bent	Ralph—Dorothy
1936		
Jan. 3.	Charlotte Louise Pretto	Christian—Ruth
" 10.	John Michael D'Angelo	William—Vera
" 14.	Sheila Joan McGroary	Cornelius—Mary
" 25.	_____	_____
" 25.	Dora Ann Le Blanc	Alban—Emma
" 31.	Anne Teresa Langill	Howard—Margaret
Feb. 3.	George Willard Perkins, Jr.	George—Albina
" 4.	Rosalie Ann DeBaggis	Louis—Victoria
" 6.	Cecelia Blanche Reis	George—Blanche
" 12.	John Lewis Daddario	Joseph—Elda
" 13.	Albert Nelson Bourbeau	Ernest—Florence
" 19.	John Carmen Carlucci	Michael—Antionette
" 19.	Barbara Louise Swenson	Bernard—Helen L.
" 22.	George Stanley Auclair	Henry—Mildred
" 22.	Ann Garland	Guy—Nancy
" 22.	Gail Elizabeth Sawyer	Forrest—Thelma L.
" 24.	Delthea Ardis Howard	George—Ardio
" 24.	Joanne Marie Morris	Martin E.—Josephine A.
Mar. 4.	_____ McCaig	Joseph—Florence
" 7.	Elinore Jeanne White	Furnie—Catherine
" 9.	Peter William Bachner	Barnard—Bertha
" 11.	Robert Joseph Rappa	Joseph—Philomena
" 14.	Peter Joseph Bartelloni	Carl—Mary
" 16.	Alfred Donald Padula	Angelo—Pauline
" 17.	Phyllis Patricia Faenza	E. Edward—Elizabeth R.
" 21.	Eleanor Gianetti	Alnesto—Marie
" 25.	Nicholas Antonio Noviello	Nicholas—Marie
" 28.	Joan Francis Barnett	William M.—Emily
" 28.	Eric Gordon Swanson	Martin—Melba

Date	Name of Child	Parents
Mar. 29.	Achille Lozzi, Jr.	Achille—Angie
" 31.	Henry Richard Ficco	Henry F.—Helen J.
" 31.	Robert Warren Ribero	Irvin W.—Hazel L.
Apr. 4.	Filipo Anthony Lenzi	Joseph—Lucy
" 5.	Marilyn Ann McCahill	Bernard F.—Stella M.
" 5.	Sylvia Marie Talamini	Antonio—Josephine
" 15.	Peter Alfred Melo	Frank—Josephine
" 18.	Sandra Lee McDermott	F. Roland—Margaret C.
" 20.	Edmund Francis Cataldo	Edmund F.—Giconda
" 20.	Anthony John Nasuti	John—Teresa
" 21.	John Spofford Goodnow	Chester L.—Barbara L.
" 28.	Joan Dorothy Hill	Robert E.—Dorothy M.
" 28.	William Francis Henry	Wallace—Melba G.
May 1.	Winnifred Ione Roach	Donald Stephen—Suzanna
" 3.	Donald Anthony Bucchanio	Anthony J.—Madeline M.
" 5.	Robert Cody	William G.—Olive
" 12.	Edward James Carney	Raymond—Rita
" 12.	Robert Russell Stewart	John E.—Edith
" 13.	Harry Moses Ostrander	Harry M.—Grace M.
" 14.	Arthur Bassett Martin	Eugene W.—Frances L.
" 22.	Donald Ober	Francis—Anna G.
" 22.	Ruth Zakarian	Krikor—Sadie
" 30.	Roland Philip Ouellette	Rheal J.—Violet
June 10.	Patricia Catherine Rice	Peter E.—Irene F.
" 10.	Robert Malcolm Sims	George C.—Ruth M.
" 11.	Jeanne Rose Morkorian	Moses—Vici
" 13.	Sylvia Knowlton	Freeman B.—Thelma O.
" 14.	Harmon Winthrop Smith, Jr.	Harmon W.—Marjorie J.
" 15.	Alice Ann Morse	Frank E.—Mary C.
" 17.	Annie Gertrude Malloy	Francis—Winnifred V.
" 21.	Muriel Jeannette Lamberto	Antonio—Jeannette
" 25.	Elizabeth Norene Dow	Horace R.—Elizabeth A.
" 25.	Stephen Francis Rafferty	Francis—Mildred
" 26.	Robert Circone, Jr.	Robert—Martha
" 27.	Mary Margaret Sims	Norman—Gertrude
July 2.	John Peter Whelan	John V.—Eileen P.
" 9.	Judith Ingeborg Beauregard	Arthur—Elsie
" 12.	Marjorie Ruth Fleming	Stanley I.—Margaret
" 13.	Norma Beatrice Coite	Louis—Beatrice
" 16.	John Haughey, Jr.	John—Eleanor
" 18.	Ronald Raffaele Ozella	Anthony M.—Marguerite
" 19.	Phyllis Mary Mucciarone	Felix A.—Adrienne C.

Date	Name of Child	Parents
July 22.	Pasquale Michael Pisano	Pasquale M.—Lucy B.
" 24.	Rae Anne Pisani	Anthony J.—Pearl F.
" 26.	Archibald James MacDonald	Archie—Flora
" 29.	_____	_____
Aug. 1.	Elizabeth Janet Bedarian	Henry—Catherine E.
" 2.	Robert Arthur Gosselin	Robert L.—Alice M.
" 6.	Joseph Richard D'Amico	Joseph—Mary
" 7.	Marilyn Alice Cataldo	John—Gertrude
" 7.	Barbara Ellen Landry	Chester W.—Ruth H.
" 8.	James Knowles Hosford, Jr.	James K.—Ruth E.
" 14.	Joan May Green	Francis J.—Edna M.
" 16.	Joseph Arthur Henault	Arthur—Veronica M.
" 26.	Virginia Mae Henry	John M.—Helen I.
" 31.	Donald Francis Ledbury	Francis H.—Vera A.
Sept. 7.	Martha Jean Dauphinee	Shirley A.—Mildred E.
" 8.	Charles Harris McNair	Thomas J.—Barbara B.
" 12.	David Hill	Charles—Eugenie
" 18.	Mary Eleanor McWilliams	Leo G.—Lena M.
" 20.	James Francis Burrows	William H.—Margaret M.
" 21.	Casaj Onianian	Casaj—Queenie
" 28.	James Michael Kerr	Patrick—Winifred
Oct. 8.	Anita Grace Danello	Salvatore—Angie
" 12.	_____ Porenski	Frederick J.—Eugenia
" 13.	Alfred Anthony Mucciarone	Elio—Susan
" 13.	Norman Angelo Vozzella	Marino—Irene
" 20.	Arlene Ethel Colpack	Charles J.—Florence M.
" 27.	Marie Jean Bonifazi	Ernest—Louise
" 31.	Lois Irene Holmes	Urban—Mabel
Nov. 3.	Jean Ann Cornetta	Louis—Lucy
" 9.	Robert Edward Ficco	Albert J.—Frances H.
" 13.	_____ Alcott	John D.—Elizabeth M.
" 15.	Jean D'Amelio	Alfred—Theresa
" 20.	_____ Woodward	Arthur—Frances
" 22.	Carolyn Vinton Gowing	Albert C.—Jeanette S.
" 24.	Arthur Zebulon Norcross	Elmer R.—Jennie
" 27.	_____ Ristaino	Anthony—Mary
" 30.	Anthony Robert Depoto	Domenic A.—Lena M.
Dec. 2.	Paul Nicholas Socci	Nicholas—Pauline
" 10.	_____ Ristaino	Charles—Mary
" 11.	Mathew Lloyd Bissanti	Vincent—Catherine
" 23.	Marilyn Avis Mann	William R.—Bertha L.
" 27.	_____ Beaulieu	Joseph—Pauline
" 29.	_____ Longobardi	Nicholas R.—Mary S.

# **MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN FOR THE YEAR 1936**

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Names</b>	<b>Residence</b>	<b>By Whom Married</b>
1934			
Jan. 27.	Adam Rutkoskas Celia Ruthorge	Franklin Medway	Rev. Christian B. Hansen
1935			
Dec. 5.	Hermon W. Smith Marjorie J. Knowlton	New York Franklin	Rev. William C. Sipe
1936			
Jan. 4.	George C. Hurd, Jr. Mary C. King	Wrentham Franklin	Rev. Clarence E. Chamberlain
" 17.	Henry J. Ristaino Marion Ames	Franklin Walpole	Rev. Herbert J. Frame
" 18.	Harold F. Peterson Josephine H. Hawkins	Franklin Franklin	Rev. R. K. Marvin
" 25.	Harrison R. Morse, Jr. Jean Gardiner	Franklin Franklin	Rev. R. K. Marvin
" 26.	Cesag Onanian Queenie Donabedian	Franklin Franklin	Rev. Agop Mekjian
" 30.	William Elkerton, Jr. Elida G. Barker	Franklin Waltham	Rev. George O. Ekwall

<b>Date</b>	<b>Names</b>	<b>Residence</b>	<b>By Whom Married</b>
Feb. 8.	Bernard F. McCahill	Franklin	Rev. Joseph B. Hanley
"	Stella M. Songin	E. Walpole	
9.	Francis E. Woloski	Franklin	Rev. Joseph E. Robichaud
"	Emily M. De Wolfe	Newton	
15.	Clifton L. Young	Franklin	Rev. Mariano La Giglia
"	Lucy M. Caracina	Woonsocket, R. I.	
23.	Willard S. Higgins, Jr.	Medway	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Christine H. McCarthy	Franklin	
25.	Edward Oliver	Franklin	George S. Bent
Mar. 14.	Gertrude M. McCauley	Hopedale	
"	Emilio Ristaino	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
29.	Esther P. Bartelloni	Franklin	
"	Frank R. Costello	Franklin	Rev. Henry C. Guinta
Apr. 12.	Winifred M. Chace	Mansfield	
"	James W. Gardner	Ayer	Rev. Clarence E. Chamberlain
"	Helen Corcoran	Franklin	
12.	Nicholas Succi	Franklin	Rev. Clarence E. Chamberlain
"	Pauline E. Murphy	Franklin	
17.	Earl P. Sutherland	Franklin	Rev. H. N. Schluntz
"	Mabel W. Fenton	Franklin	
18.	Joseph A. Fitzgerald	Milford	Rev. Thomas P. Kelly
"	Marion M. Bosworth	Franklin	
25.	Lewis J. Crandall, Jr.	Franklin	Rev. Louis J. Zuliani
"	Madeline Lombardi	Milford	



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Apr. 25.	Vincenzo Tucci	Franklin	George S. Bent
"	Jennie Tucci	Franklin	
26.	James L. Calarese	Milford	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Eva Pizzi	Franklin	
May 2.	Ernest J. Bonifazi	Franklin	Rev. Victor O. Masse
"	Louise M. Desilets	North Attleboro	
2.	James M. Henry	Franklin	Rev. Charles F. Westman
"	Alice M. Kinsman	Franklin	
2.	Paris Danello	Franklin	Rev. William Scarborough
"	Helen D. Walker	Norfolk	
9.	Clarence F. Coite	Worcester	Rev. Charles F. Richmond
"	Eleanor G. Burnham	Franklin	
16.	Ernest W. McMahon	E. Walpole	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Anita C. Geromini	Franklin	
23.	George W. Blanchard	Franklin	Rev. H. N. Schluntz
"	Alice E. Cunningham	Franklin	
30.	Arthur C. Breed	Rosindale	Rev. Charles W. Gould
June 1.	Julia L. E. Schmidt	Franklin	
"	Angelo R. Chiodetti	Franklin	Rev. Edward Kenney
"	Alice E. Collins	Franklin	
3.	Joseph Giguere	Blackstone	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Annie Cote	Franklin	
6.	Edward J. Kelley	Medway	Rev. Edward Kenney
"	Grace C. Coughlin	Franklin	

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June 6.	Philip J. Doherty	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Claire Blanchard	Franklin	
" 13.	Walter E. Brown	Franklin	Rev. H. N. Schluntz
"	Gertrude M. McMullin	Walpole	
" 20.	William J. Cody	Franklin	Rev. James Nollan
"	Ethel M. McGarry	Wrentham	
" 27.	Alfred L. Farrar	Wrentham	Rev. R. K. Marvin
"	Aurel M. Hawkins	Franklin	
" 27.	Louis R. Levinsky	Milford	Rev. Henry M. Tatlar
"	Alice G. Chapdelaine	Franklin	
" 27.	John Inoronato	Milford	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
July 1.	Eleanor T. Bertone	Franklin	
"	Robert H. Rickard	Franklin	Rev. W. J. Setzer
"	Ruth G. Wheeler	Franklin	
" 3.	John Glebus	Walpole	Rev. Robert M. Bartlett
"	Elizabeth D. Sewell	Franklin	
" 3.	Orville R. Pruett	Franklin	George S. Bent
"	Florence A. Tedford	Franklin	
" 11.	George A. Fournier	Franklin	Rev. George E. Smith
"	Edna M. De Nicholas	Franklin	
" 17.	Francis E. Hall	Franklin	Rev. Charles W. Gould
"	Ruth B. Symmes	Franklin	
" 19.	Bruno F. Bertone	City Mills	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Adelaide Vozzella	Franklin	

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July 25.	Albert Arcaro	Franklin	Rev. Julius N. Valentiwell
" 27.	Susie T. Diomedes	Milford	
	Richard P. Sullivan	Rhode Island	Rev. Edward Kenney
Aug. 8.	Adeline M. Longobardi	Franklin	
	Ernest D. Sawyer	Medway	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Teresa V. King	Franklin	
" 8.	Napoleon G. Vigneault	Milford, N. H.	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Elizabeth M. Hood	Franklin	
" 8.	Walter O. Sullivan	Franklin	Rev. Edward Kenney
	Ida A. Pichierri	Franklin	
" 8.	Herbert L. Duncan	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Rosanna Hines	Franklin	
" 12.	Gabriel A. Guerra	Ohio	Rev. Edward Kenney
	Josephine A. Vignone	Franklin	
" 15.	Richard E. Porter	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Amelia M. Palumbo	Franklin	
" 15.	Ernest J. Del Carte	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Anna E. Bourbeau	Franklin	
" 17.	Harry F. Saunders	North Kingstown	Rev. Sydney R. Peters
	Helen L. Follett	Franklin	
" 20.	Nicholas R. Longobardi	Franklin	Rev. John Golden
	Mary Luciano	Milford	
" 21.	Ezra L. Blanchard	Franklin	Rev. Joseph E. Waterhouse
	Lillian L. MacDonald	Franklin	

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Aug. 28.	Francis Landry	Franklin	Rev. Edward Marion
"	Alice V. Pepin	Vermont	
30.	Angelo H. DeBaggis	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Teresa M. Principessa	Norfolk	
30.	Guido Geromini	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
	Olga E. Brunelli	Franklin	
Sept. 5.	Archie G. Olson	Worcester	Rev. Clarence E. Chamberlain
"	Hazel E. Briggs	Franklin	
5.	Michael Pimentel	Attleboro	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Mary J. Landry	Franklin	
5.	Louis M. Pisani	Franklin	Rev. Edward Kenney
"	Lillian M. Yadisernia	Franklin	
5.	Albert A. Dunham	Franklin	Rev. Thomas E. Barker
"	Elisa E. Nys	Woonsocket, R. I.	
5.	Robert W. DeJordy	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Phyllis Goodwin	Franklin	
7.	Charles F. Mucciarone	Franklin	Rev. Edward Kenney
"	Helen D. Dailey	Franklin	
7.	Corrodino L. Mucciarone	Franklin	Rev. Albert Brault
"	Cora Matte	Linwood	
8.	Nils P. A. Benson	York, Pa.	Rev. James G. Beveridge
"	Eleanor M. Allen	Franklin	
10.	Renaldo Pellegrini	Franklin	Rev. Gloria Blankenberg
"	Dorothy Collins	Franklin	

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Sept. 12.	Francis L. Davis	Franklin	Rev. Charles F. Westman
"	Ethel T. Anderson	Franklin	
14.	George A. Ryan	Woonsocket, R. I.	Rev. Philip E. McKenna
"	Olive L. Ellis	Franklin	
19.	Wallace G. Swanbeck	Franklin	Rev. Vernon W. Cooke
"	Florence L. Lee	Boston	
19.	Arthur D. Fraser	Arlington	Rev. R. K. Marvin
"	Margaret E. Chilson	Wellesley	
20.	Arthur J. Bertoni	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Mary P. Martello	Franklin	
27.	Carleton L. Chilson	Franklin	Rev. Edwin W. Walsh
"	Gilda DeBaggis	Franklin	
Oct. 3.	Edward G. Ward	Woodville	Rev. H. N. Schluntz
"	Ruth E. MacMichael	Franklin	
3.	Henry P. Munson	Canton	Rev. R. K. Marvin
"	Maude A. Rogers	Canton	
10.	Albert F. Connolly	Norwood	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Doris M. Pare	Franklin	
10.	Harold F. Robinson	Franklin	Rev. John W. Moore
"	Grace E. MacNeil	Franklin	
10.	Albert E. Laundry	Franklin	Rev. Howard E. Tower
"	Gladys S. Dyer	North Attleboro	
15.	George J. Henault, Jr.	Franklin	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Alberina Geromini	Franklin	



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Oct. 17.	Nickolas L. Micelotti	Milford	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Emma P. Pasquantonio	Franklin	
23.	Albert C. J. Aubuchon	Franklin	Rev. H. N. Schluntz
"	Eva M. Heno	Franklin	
24.	Charles E. Wakeman	Bridgeport, Ct.	Rev. Charles F. Richmond
"	Charlotte L. Healy	Bridgeport, Ct.	
24.	William C. Ward	Franklin	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Irene R. Cote	Franklin	
24.	A. Harold Soderberg	Hopedale	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Clara E. Cruise	Franklin	
24.	Lawrence A. Pollard	Medway	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Agnes M. Landry	Franklin	
28.	Preston J. Farrington	Franklin	Rev. Francis L. Cooper
"	Jessie M. MacPhee	Brockton	
31.	Michael A. Genoa	Franklin	Rev. Edward Kenney
"	Margaret I. Cutler	Franklin	
31.	Nilo D. Geromini	Franklin	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Winnifred L. Harrison	Franklin	
Nov. 2.	Joseph J. Leonard	Franklin	Rev. Charles W. Gould
"	Cora F. West	Franklin	
7.	Albert F. Perkins	Franklin	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
"	Ruth T. Jenkins	Franklin	
8.	Lloyd W. Crandall	Franklin	Rev. Patrick J. McGee
	Matilda N. Miller	North Attleboro	

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Nov. 21.	Arthur E. Smith	Franklin	Rev. Charles F. Westman
" 26.	Dorothy M. Murphy	Franklin	
" 26.	George A. Vozella	Franklin	Rev. G. W. Lindstrom
" 26.	Eillen V. Swenson	Norfolk	
" 26.	Anthony C. Marguerite	Franklin	Rev. David O'Brien
" 26.	Mary Calcagni	North Attleboro	
" 26.	William G. Fricker	Franklin	Rev. Philip J. Kearney
" 26.	Carmella Dellorco	Franklin	
" 26.	Ernest W. Morin	Woonsocket, R. I.	Rev. Theodore J. Seckel
" 26.	Florida Paul	Franklin	
" 26.	Robert W. McCabe	Franklin	Rev. Francis R. Rupprecht
" 29.	Marion B. Greeley	Milford	
" 30.	Ernest Scott	Franklin	Rev. Charles F. Westman
" 30.	Sadie Scott	Franklin	
" 30.	Charles F. Taylor	Norton	Rev. Charles F. Westman
" 30.	Ruth Rogers	Medway	
Dec. 8.	Allen F. Plunkett	Lonsdale, R. I.	Rev. Edward Kenney
" 12.	Lavina D. Whitney	Pawtucket, R. I.	
" 12.	Thomas P. Lord	Central Falls, R. I.	Rev. David M. Angell
" 17.	Ethel M. Snow	Franklin	
" 17.	Earl C. Jencks	Woonsocket, R. I.	Rev. R. K. Marvin
" 19.	Hazel E. Taft	Bellingham	
" 19.	Ernest A. Auclair	Franklin	Rev. David M. Angell
" 19.	Helen M. Salvetti	Franklin	

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Dec. 21.	Jean N. Champotix	Franklin	George S. Bent
"	Ruth P. Donovan	Franklin	
26.	Frank P. Yarush	Millis	Rev. R. K. Marvin
"	Edna Mae Pond	West Medway	
26.	Oscar E. Carlson	Franklin	Rev. J. Theodore Lundquist
"	Esther E. Bergen	Franklin	
31.	Marshall W. Ross	Franklin	Rev. David P. Hatch
	Eleanor L. Boothby	Walpole	

## DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF FRANKLIN FOR THE YEAR 1936

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Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Jan. 13.	Fred Brunelli	65	—	11
" 22.	Edgar A. Metcalf	81	4	5
" 25.	_____	—	—	—
" 27.	John Kennedy	85	—	21
" 29.	Antonio Gay	76	8	21
" 29.	Freeman G. Knowlton	64	4	10
" 31.	Gilbert A. Greenwood	56	9	1
Feb. 6.	Lucy E. Eaton	89	10	19
" 12.	Domethilde Bourbeau	80	7	28
" 15.	Richard Leary	60	1	11
" 17.	Barbara E. Beaton	4	3	—
" 23.	Joseph Prue	80	10	21
" 25.	Charles V. Collins	34	10	10
" 29.	Peter O'Brien	61	11	13
Mar. 3.	Elaine F. Dacey	—	4	—
" 4.	Lewis W. Young	52	8	3
" 6.	Maria Saturno	55	3	7
" 7.	Thomas Fitzgerald	60	—	15
" 8.	John J. Kelly	28	4	23
" 9.	Gertrude S. Keith	42	4	25
" 9.	Wallace G. Symmes	81	5	23
" 18.	John D. Whitney	92	4	26
Apr. 3.	William A. Mayo	55	3	12
" 5.	Arthur E. Pickles	55	9	26
" 8.	Elizabeth M. Greene	56	7	13
" 10.	Mary A. Hart	78	7	12
" 10.	Minnie J. O'Donnell	68	4	22
" 15.	Philip P. Doherty	69	9	3
" 17.	Mary J. Richardson	80	1	2
" 23.	Clara M. Chapman	71	—	14
" 23.	Domenic Arena	69	11	2
" 26.	Mary L. Gay	82	10	20
" 26.	Fred L. Tufts	64	11	16
May 8.	Marie Henault	82	7	8

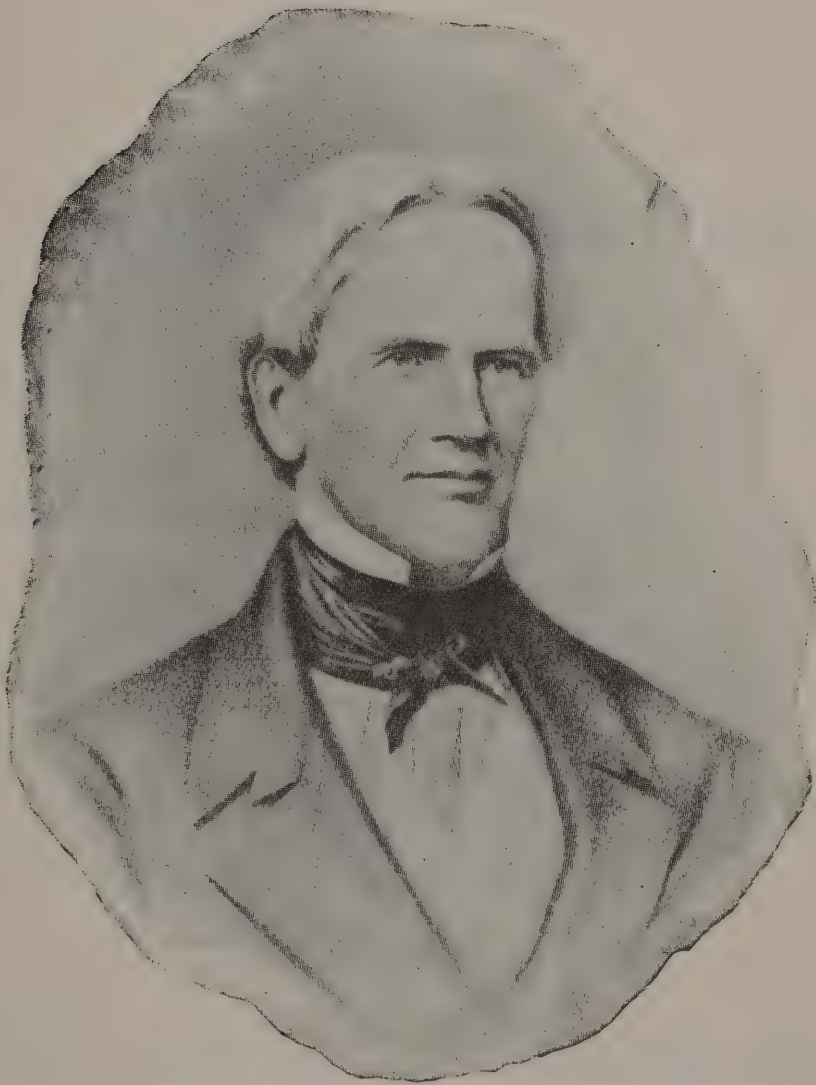
Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
May 9.	Sarah J. Bartlett	75	10	7
" 18.	Josephine Johnson	52	2	12
" 25.	Mary Coughlin	73	5	19
" 29.	Fortunato Catalano	49	2	22
June 4.	William M. Pendergast	59	4	18
" 5.	Herman Berndt	57	9	22
" 13.	John T. Sullivan	51	—	12
" 19.	James Dailey	69	5	4
" 24.	Martha E. Smith	78	6	23
" 25.	Stephen F. Rafferty	—	—	1/6
July 4.	Agnes T. Conroy	79	9	9
" 7.	Delia Lavanaway	83	—	—
" 10.	Ellen G. Archer	71	2	21
" 12.	Elizabeth White	64	10	4
" 22.	Annie B. Corbin	89	9	7
" 23.	John Collins	52	—	—
" 29.	—	—	—	—
" 30.	Calina Boucher	83	6	—
Aug. 4.	Georgette F. Craig	77	3	7
" 4.	Elizabeth S. Worster	70	—	12
" 6.	Jeannette N. Hodges	39	8	23
" 11.	Abbie E. Dean	75	1	9
" 16.	John W. Ingalls	68	10	—
" 16.	John G. Nystrom	59	9	27
" 19.	Philibert E. Poirier	39	10	15
Sept. 3.	James H. Riordan	74	10	17
" 5.	Margaret Kerrigan	46	11	10
" 9.	Stephen Rice	67	11	30
" 11.	Marie E. Hatfield	75	—	3
" 12.	—	—	—	—
" 17.	Elizabeth E. Murphy	73	4	27
" 22.	Herman R. Herzog	77	—	—
" 25.	Catherine Whalen	78	9	—
" 29.	Stella Daniello	31	—	—
Oct. 4.	Howard H. Dailey	35	2	24
" 8.	Elizabeth E. Doherty	65	—	—
" 11.	Charles H. Prince	63	—	—
" 17.	Jeremiah Connor	93	9	10
" 18.	Carrie I. Metcalf	84	9	18
" 19.	Paul J. Beaudette	54	2	23
" 25.	Adolph J. Paul	68	—	—
" 30.	Frederick Phillips	75	10	14

Date	Name	Yrs.	Mos.	Days
Oct. 31.	William E. Ware	84	11	21
Nov. 12.	Margaret W. McDonagh	56	4	27
" 12.	Elizabeth V. Kearney	73	2	20
" 15.	Florence A. Gates	73	1	11
" 20.	Mary Ann Wiggin	92	1	6
" 24.	Lucina P. Gay	86	5	28
" 28.	Margaret E. Costello	61	5	7
Dec. 3.	Lillian L. Beaven	61	9	—
" 10.	Adeline Demars	78	1	30
" 18.	Lydia P. Peirce	82	4	21
" 21.	Mary Ann Keefe	80	6	6
" 22.	Julia Fitzgerald	68	6	7
" 24.	Edgar A. Young	69	4	22
" 26.	James MacDonald	68	5	21
" 26.	Caroline Duff	53	—	—
" 28.	Annie C. Ward	73	1	19
" 30.	James Kealey	80	—	—



# FRANKLIN SCHOOL REPORT

1936



HORACE MANN CENTENNIAL

1837 - 1937



**ANNUAL REPORT**  
*of the*  
**School Committee**  
*of the Town of*  
**FRANKLIN, MASSACHUSETTS**



For the Fiscal Year Ending Dec. 31,  
1936



## **SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

	Term expires
Carl E. Richardson, 37 Crescent Street .....	1937
Roland F. McDermott, Corbin Street .....	1938
James E. Mather, 111 Hillside Road .....	1939

## **ORGANIZATION**

Carl E. Richardson, Chairman  
Roland F. McDermott, Secretary

## **SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

Arthur W. Hale, 254 Main Street  
Office: High School Bldg.  
Office Hours: Monday 8:00 to 9:00 A.M.,  
4:00 to 5:00 P.M.  
during school term  
Office open on school days: 8:00 to 12:00 noon,  
1:00 to 5:00 P.M.  
Saturday 8:00 to 12:00 noon.  
Telephone: Office 520; House 506  
Clerk: Mary L. Molla

## **REGULAR MEETING OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

Second Tuesday of each month, High School Building,  
at 4:00 P.M.

## **SCHOOL PHYSICIAN**

Solon Abbott, M.D. 30 Dean Avenue  
Telephone: 300

## **SCHOOL NURSE**

Nellie Mitchell Saunders, R.N. Box 106, Franklin.  
Telephone: 520

## **SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE**

John M. Riley, 94 Hillside Road  
Telephone: 49

**FRANKLIN SCHOOL DEPARTMENT  
EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS 1935, 1936  
AND ESTIMATE 1937**

**EXPENDITURES**

	1935	1936	Estimate 1937
1. General Control	\$ 4,440.81	\$ 4,721.54	\$ 4,800.00
2. Teachers' Salaries	74,300.51	69,364.77	76,759.26
3. Books and Supplies	6,173.59	7,561.18	6,000.00
4. Wages of Janitors	8,282.25	8,426.75	9,100.00
5. Fuel	3,100.64	4,301.52	4,000.00
6. Miscellaneous Operating	2,018.93	2,152.87	2,200.00
7. Repairs	2,651.17	3,291.84	2,500.00
8. Transportation	6,020.05	6,465.50	6,200.00
9. Miscellaneous Sundries, Health, Tuition, Insurance, etc.	3,598.97	3,787.61	4,400.00
10. Outlay	575.20	714.70	
11. Amount due teachers, Summer of 1937			5,167.04
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$111,162.12</b>	<b>\$110,788.28</b>	<b>\$121,126.30</b>

**RECEIPTS**

	1935	1936	Estimate 1937
General School Fund			
Teachers' Salaries	\$ 13,645.00	\$ 13,665.00	\$ 14,045.00
Division of Child Guardianship			
Tuition and Transportation	1,771.03	2,517.44	2,500.00
Division of Juvenile Training			
Tuition and Transportation	103.94	81.95	80.00
Bellingham Tuition	5,176.16	5,680.58	6,600.00
Norfolk Tuition	188.87	467.52	280.00
Manual Training	124.64	156.62	150.00
Miscellaneous: Books, hall rentals, breakage, telephone, etc.	140.47	147.06	150.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$ 21,150.11</b>	<b>\$ 22,716.17</b>	<b>\$ 23,805.00</b>
Net Expenditures or Cost from local taxation	\$ 90,012.01	\$ 88,072.11	\$ 97,321.30
Appropriation 1936 \$114,998.00 plus Dog Tax \$961.26 —			\$115,959.26
Expenditures			110,788.28
Balance			\$ 5,170.98
Amount due teachers, Summer of 1937			5,167.04
Unexpended Balance			\$ 3.94
<b>APPROPRIATION RECOMMENDED</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>1937 \$121,126.30 plus Dog Tax.</b>



## SCHOOL CALENDAR — 1937-1938

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January 4, 1937. Opening of Winter Term.

February 20 to March 1, 1937. Winter Vacation

March 26, 1937. Good Friday.

April 17 to April 26, 1937. Spring Vacation.

May 31, 1937. Memorial Day, Holiday.

June 18, 1937. Closing of Schools, Grades I to VIII inc.

June 25, 1937. Closing of High School.

September 8, 1937. Opening of Schools.

October 12, 1937. Columbus Day, Holiday.

November 11, 1937. Armistice Day, Holiday.

November 24 noon to November 29, 1937. Thanksgiving  
Recess.

December 24, 1937 to January 3, 1938. Christmas Vaca-  
tion.

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## NO SCHOOL SIGNALS

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### 2 Blasts - - 4 Times

In addition at 7:30 A.M. Electric Lights will be turned on  
for 5 minutes and it will be broadcast over  
W.N.A.C.

7:30 Omit Sessions in all schools for the day.

11:30 Omit afternoon Sessions in all schools.

# COMPARATIVE COSTS OF FRANKLIN SCHOOLS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS

Expenditures	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
General Expenses					
1. School Committee —					
Salaries	\$ 45.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
Expenses, Clerks, etc.	1,536.32	1,567.52	1,416.57	1,423.46	1,584.66
2. Supt. of Schools,					
Attendance Officer —					
Salaries	3,314.52	3,049.40	2,681.90	2,740.20	2,821.90
Expenses	344.17	169.17	243.95	232.15	269.98
Instruction					
3. Supervisors — Salaries	2,627.89	2,163.07	1,922.00	1,979.75	2,048.56
Expenses			2.50	9.50	19.25
4. Principals — High	3,564.88	3,114.40	3,000.00	3,228.00	2,997.28
Junior High	2,092.90	1,817.01	1,750.00	1,882.00	1,669.26
5. Teachers' Salaries					
High	25,772.46	23,167.08	21,881.85	23,526.28	22,705.23
Junior High	12,670.33	11,307.54	10,617.84	10,737.18	9,656.85
Elementary	34,829.13	31,552.61	29,472.39	32,937.80	30,268.34
6. Textbooks — High	745.66	541.86	996.66	730.78	1,285.76
Junior High	180.14	194.35	255.68	224.17	350.58
Elementary	428.94	190.80	1,717.85	1,049.14	913.85
7. Supplies — High	1,665.48	2,099.27	2,576.47	2,043.89	2,859.29
Junior High	805.66	674.85	824.86	868.11	885.33
Elementary	1,060.56	855.54	1,206.22	1,257.50	1,266.37
8. Wages of Janitors					
High	2,874.00	2,462.90	2,674.40	2,483.75	2,761.00
Junior High	1,470.00	1,297.40	1,312.40	1,300.00	1,443.00
Elementary	5,036.50	4,506.70	4,620.95	4,498.50	4,222.75

9. Fuel					
High	1,294.03	757.64	1,288.33	1,036.13	1,440.22
Junior High	670.36	625.43	782.99	430.15	977.82
Elementary	2,755.81	2,229.08	2,476.79	1,634.36	1,883.48
10. Miscellaneous Operating					
High	917.19	768.09	1,123.43	869.29	1,007.88
Junior High	477.39	424.54	350.89	409.34	393.68
Elementary	949.25	828.68	626.89	740.30	751.31
11. Repairs — High	815.34	528.15	1,277.06	1,155.86	1,011.82
Junior High	234.96	721.16	813.92	326.37	503.45
Elementary	918.26	1,053.92	2,103.99	1,168.94	1,776.57
12. Libraries			36.89	35.00	190.90
13. Health	1,440.25	1,230.27	1,229.73	1,298.44	1,758.93
14. Transportation	7,070.40	5,683.75	5,869.70	6,020.05	6,465.50
15. Tuition (to other places)	219.38		10.50	154.27	163.31
16. Sundries					
17. New Equipment	1,658.42	2,053.00	1,240.18	2,111.26	1,674.47
and Buildings			570.96	575.20	714.70
	<u>\$120,485.58</u>	<u>\$107,675.18</u>	<u>\$109,016.74</u>	<u>\$111,162.12</u>	<u>\$110,788.28</u>

#### Receipts

1. Receipts from General School Fund	\$ 16,630.00	\$ 17,130.00	\$ 13,411.90	\$ 13,645.00	\$ 13,665.00
2. Other Receipts	7,293.58	7,848.80	6,673.43	7,505.11	9,051.17
3. Total Receipts	<u>\$ 23,923.58</u>	<u>\$ 24,978.80</u>	<u>\$ 20,085.33</u>	<u>\$ 21,150.11</u>	<u>\$ 22,716.17</u>
4. Net Cost	\$ 96,562.00	\$ 82,696.38	\$ 88,931.41	\$ 90,012.01	\$ 88,072.11

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

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To the Citizens of the Town of Franklin:

Your School Committee hereby respectfully submits its annual report as well as the reports of the Superintendent of Schools, the Principals of our High and Junior High Schools and the Supervisors of several of our special departments.

The year 1936 was a very busy year for the members of the School Committee witnessing as it did the repair of the fire damage and alterations at the Ray School, together with the construction of a new building at the Four Corners and a three room addition to the High School building. The details of the work on the Ray School will be found in the report of the Superintendent of Schools, and the School Building Committee will report in due time on the construction of the new Four Corners building and the High School addition. We would like to say at this time, however, that we consider the town very fortunate to have secured these urgently needed additions at this time when the Federal Government contributed 45% of their cost and just before construction costs began to rise very sharply. The School Committee's report for 1928 mentioned the need for a new building, and this building is a splendid addition to our school facilities. It was the opinion of one government official that the town had secured more for its money in this building than any other town in this district.

It is planned by your Committee, if the Bellingham pupils are withdrawn from our High School, to make the Ray School once more available for the use of the grades. By so doing, the old Thayer School could be closed, which is greatly to be desired as it is a very expensive building to maintain and our small children deserve to be housed in better quarters.

The routine of our schools was considerably upset during 1936 due to closing of the Ray School, the replacement of the Four Corners School, and the High School addition. Both our teachers and students accepted the handicaps and inconveniences, however, and carried on without a murmur of discontent, all of which was greatly appreciated by the School Committee. We believe that we have a very efficient corps of teachers and our young people graduating from High School to enter college or the business world have shown themselves capable of holding their own in competition with the youth from any other locality.

Finally, we wish to commend to the citizens of Franklin the report of the Superintendent which shows the work done in our schools in considerable detail and we believe that it might be read to advantage by all those who contribute to the support of our schools, or are in any way interested in them.

Respectfully submitted,

DR. CARL E. RICHARDSON,  
F. ROLAND McDERMOTT  
JAMES E. MATHER,

School Committee of Franklin.



## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Committee and Citizens of Franklin:

My nineteenth annual report as Superintendent of your schools is submitted for your consideration, together with the reports of the senior and junior high school principals, the school physician and nurse, and the usual statistical data.

Schools opened in September under more favorable conditions than for many years. Eight new classrooms were available, four at the Ray Building for high school, and four at Four Corners for elementary school purposes. Only two changes occurred in our teaching staff and the number of pupils enrolled was slightly less in the grades than last year.

### Teacher Changes

The two resignations occurred in the commercial department of the high school. Miss Agnes E. Sheehan, a teacher of eight years' experience, accepted a position in her home town of Uxbridge. Miss E. Frances Washburn, a teacher with five years' experience, received an offer at a higher salary in the Everett High School.

Both of these vacancies were filled by promising local candidates without regular teaching experience. At the Theron Metcalf building, Miss Helen L. Leary was transferred to a position as teacher of the Opportunity Class from eighth grade English. Miss Margaret L. Thoren was transferred from seventh to eighth grade English and Miss Margaret Lennon was transferred from the Opportunity Class to the seventh grade English position.



## **ENROLLMENT AND ATTENDANCE**

There were 1,757 different pupils enrolled in the schools during the year ending in June, 1936. Of this number, 555 were in high school and 1,202 in the first eight grades. The past fall the enrollment dropped to 1,725, of which 568 were in the high school and 1,157 in the grades. This is an increase of 13 in the high school and a decrease of 45 in the grades.

The attendance record this fall has been much higher than for several years. The average attendance in the high school has been 520 pupils daily, and in the grades 1,068. This is an increase of 43 in the high school and a decrease of 30 in the grades over the figures for the year ending in June, 1936.

The improvement in attendance is very gratifying as it shows that the health of the pupils has been very good and that they have been interested in and regular at school.

### **New School Building at Four Corners**

At the opening of schools in September, the new, modern, brick school building at Four Corners was available for use although the new furniture had not arrived and been installed, and the grading not completed around the building. Temporary arrangements were made in regard to the furniture until the new furniture arrived. Under the able and interested direction of Tree Warden, John Stobbart, the grounds were soon leveled and surfaced or seeded as desired and walks constructed.

The erection of this fine brick building which harmonizes so well with the lot on which it is located, provides four classrooms for the children in the first four grades in that district. The old wooden building which was replaced had only two rooms and for many years children above the second grade have been obliged to attend grades three and four either at the Theron Metcalf or Horace Mann buildings which were occupied mainly by much older pupils. The new accommodations not only give the junior high school pupils two more

rooms at the Theron Metcalf building, but also lessens the distance that most of the third and fourth grade children have to walk to school. It is hoped that money will be made available to construct a new fence around the grounds more in keeping with the new building than the old fence that temporarily has been reerected.

### **Ray School Building**

Early in the year an adjustment was made with the insurance companies in regard to the loss at the Ray School fire, an architect appointed, plans made, a special town meeting held and the necessary money appropriated or made available for the school committee to go ahead and repair the building. When the high school opened in September the interior of this building had been practically rebuilt, refinished, and many improvements made to meet the new requirements of the State Department of Inspection, as well as to add to the usefulness of the building and the safety of the pupils. This building, like the new building at Four Corners, is modern in every respect and provides the latest improvements in classroom design, plumbing, heating, and ventilation.

By having the four rooms at the Ray School building available for the overflow of high school pupils it was no longer necessary to use the Portable and the room at the Thayer School building for high school classes. The Portable is now used in connection with the shop for storage and finishing purposes and the room at the Thayer School for the second grade pupils.

### **New High School Addition**

The summer vacation proved to be too short a time to complete the construction of the three room addition on the rear of the third floor at the High School building. The construction of these three rooms made it necessary to renew the ceilings of the three rooms below, as well as to make changes in the walls of the two rooms to the east on the second and third floors. It was only with difficulty that these five old rooms were made usable for classroom purposes when school opened in

September. The pupils, teachers, and janitors at the High School building have shown a fine spirit of cooperation in carrying on their work while construction has been going on during the fall months and are to be commended for their fine spirit. One of the new rooms has been equipped and used for Drawing purposes for several weeks and new furniture was installed in the other two rooms during the Christmas vacation. With these three additional rooms in use at the high school it will be no longer necessary to use the auditorium, homemaking rooms, and shop for recitation and study purposes.

The new Four Corners building and the high school addition have been constructed under the Federal Works Progress Administration which grants 45 percent of their cost. The seven rooms made available by these two projects, plus the four rooms by the Ray School repairs, gives us eleven more rooms than we had when schools closed last June. These additional rooms have relieved the crowded conditions that have existed for the past few years. Our children are now housed and do their school work under better material conditions than they have had for several years. The townspeople, building committee, and school committee may well feel proud of the new accommodations that have been provided.

### **Physical and Recreation Work**

Since 1926 every boy and girl, except those excused, in the senior and junior high schools have regular class work in Physical Education twice a week. In the elementary schools this work is carried on daily by the home room teachers under the direction of Miss Beane, who devotes two afternoons a week to supervising the grade work. The following taken from the reports of Miss Beane and Mr. Laundry give more information in regard to the work they are doing:

"In the grades, whenever weather permitted, the work was carried on out of doors. It consisted of marching, story plays, rhythm, singing dances and games for the first three grades. In the next three grades, games of higher organization were played, such as kickball and baseball. The rest of their program included marching and exercises.

"The junior high school work consisted of posture work, track, volley ball and kickball. A volley ball and kickball tournament was carried on among the various divisions. Posture cards were sent home, a check-up made, and improvement noted.

"In high school a basketball tournament is being run off with 85 girls taking active part. About 35 girls are out for the varsity team, making the total number of girls playing basketball well over 100. Indoor work in the high school consists of the following: marching, exercises, corrective work, tap, folk and ballroom dancing, heavy and hand apparatus work and games.

"At the junior high school, captain ball, volley ball, baseball, and touch football leagues were conducted among the boys with small rewards and prizes given the winning teams. Posture exercises were given at various intervals.

"The high school program contained indoor and outdoor baseball, tag football, basketball, and many minor games.

"The Boys Physical Association, limited to 30 boys, met every Saturday morning, starting November first, under my direction. Extra work on apparatus and games have been given these boys."

### **The Horace Mann Centennial**

The present school year marks the Centennial of the creation of the Massachusetts Board of Education and the appointment of Horace Mann, its first secretary.

In order that the people of Franklin, the birthplace of Horace Mann, may know what is being done to honor its native son, I will give a brief account of the Centennial Committee's plans and program.

The Horace Mann Centennial Celebration was conceived and sponsored by the National Education Association of the United States and will be nation wide in scope. The Association has appointed a special commit-



tee on the Horace Mann Centennial to serve as a clearing house for information and plans. Payson Smith of Brookline, Massachusetts is chairman and Joy Elmer Morgan of Washington, D. C. is secretary of this committee. This committee is composed of leading educators of the country and all state superintendents of education. This committee has prepared and recommends the following calendar of events for observing the Horace Mann Centennial:

1. October 16-17, 1936. Dedication of bronze statue of Horace Mann, similar to the one in front of the State House, Boston, on the campus of Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio where Horace Mann served as the first president, and a discussion by leaders of American thought of the topic, "The Function of Education in a Democracy".

2. February 20-25, 1937. Special program giving particular attention to the life and work of Horace Mann at the convention of the Department of Superintendence of the N. E. A.

3. May 4, 1937. Appropriate exercises for the observance of Horace Mann's birthday in all schools and communities throughout the nation.

4. May and June, 1937. Emphasis on Horace Mann's life and service in school commencement programs.

5. June 27-July 1, 1937. Special program at the Convention of the National Education Association commemorating the anniversary on which Horace Mann took up his duties as Secretary of the Massachusetts Board of Education.

6. November 7-13, 1937. American Education Week. Centennial to be brought to a climax in a nation wide effort to bring the ideals of Horace Mann before the people of the country.

7. Newspapers, magazines and the radio are urged to disseminate throughout the country during the Centennial year information concerning the life of Horace Mann.

8. Parent-Teacher Associations throughout the country are requested to devote at least one meeting during 1937 to a study of the life and educational ideals of Horace Mann.

9. Civic and professional groups are asked to give appropriate recognition at their meetings to the pioneer service of Horace Mann.

10. Each state education association is urged to make plans for the celebration in its state including the publication of suitable material for special addresses at the 1937 conventions.

11. State Teachers Colleges and schools of education throughout the country are urged to give special recognition to his work in establishing the first normal schools in America.

From the above calendar it can be seen that the major objective in the plans of the committee is to inform the pupils, teachers, parents and the American Public about Horace Mann and his great contribution to the cause of education in America.

The Massachusetts State Department of Education has already appointed a committee who are working on a Horace Mann Centennial Program for the schools throughout the state. A pamphlet of suggestions and references is in preparation and will be ready for distribution in mimeographed form in February. Communications concerning the work of this state committee may be addressed to the Department Chairman and Committee Secretary, Mr. Robert O. Small, Room 212, State House, Boston.

Locally the Business Men's Association has appointed a Horace Mann Centennial Committee with Mr. Mat-



threw VanLeeuwen, chairman. A committee with Mr. Albert T. Patty as chairman is working out a program for the local school department.

These committees working in cooperation with the National and State Committees will see that the town of Horace Mann's birth and early boyhood fittingly observes the Centennial Celebration in honor of its distinguished son.

In order that information in regard to Horace Mann's life may be available, the National Home Library Association, Washington, D. C. has published a book entitled "Horace Mann, His Ideas and Ideals". This book of 150 pages can be obtained at cost, twenty-five cents. The inspiring book, "The Life of Horace Mann" by his wife, Mary Mann, will soon be available for the libraries of the country. This biography of 600 pages was first published in 1865, and reprinted in 1881, but for several years has been out of print.

### **Salaries**

The recommendation of the Finance Committee and the action of the voters made it possible for the School Committee to increase salaries on an average of 5.6 percent for the school year beginning in September, 1936. The annual increments of \$75.00 to \$100.00 were restored to teachers who had not reached the maximum, and the maximums were increased to within \$100.00 of what they had formerly been for teachers receiving less than \$1,800.00. Slight adjustments upward were made for principals, supervisors, and teachers receiving more than \$1,800.00.

In adjusting and increasing the salaries for the year beginning in September, 1936, the largest increases were given to teachers in the lower salary brackets and the smallest increases for teachers in the upper salary brackets.

Below is a table showing the total salaries of principals, supervisors, and teachers and the average salary for the past six years.

Year	Total Salaries	Av. yearly Salary
1931	\$86,471.73	\$1,517.05
1932	81,557.59	1,430.83
1933	73,121.71	1,282.84
1934	68,646.59	1,204.33
1935	74,300.00	1,303.52
1936	77,560.00	1,360.70

The annual average teacher's salary decreased from \$1,517.05 in 1931 to \$1,204.33 in 1934, a total average decrease of \$312.72. Since 1934, the average salary has increased from \$1,204.33 to \$1,360.70 in 1936, an average increase of \$156.38. The average salary in 1936 is still \$156.35 less than it was in 1931. From the above it is seen that in the past two years, a little more than half the cuts have been restored to the average teacher's salary in Franklin.

In the fall of 1935 a petition was presented by the Franklin Teachers' Club that each teacher's yearly salary be paid on a 12 months basis instead of a 10 months basis as had been the practice for several years. After considering the matter and sending a questionnaire to all the teachers, the School Committee decided to allow the teachers to receive their salary for the January to July, 1936 period either in 12 or 16 semi-monthly payments as each teacher should desire, payments to be made on the 15th and 30th of each month. By the latter plan the teachers received 1/16 instead of 1/12 of the salary due them each payment, but received payments during July and August instead of having them stop on June 30th as they did for teachers on the 12 payment plan.

Beginning with September, 1936 as a large majority of teachers favored receiving payments semi-monthly throughout the year, the teachers have been paid twice monthly, receiving 1/24 of their yearly salary on the 15th and 30th of each calendar month. By this plan the teachers have received during the fall term 8/24ths of their annual salary instead of 8/20ths of their annual salary as formerly. The difference between 8/20ths and 8/24ths of their annual salary is 1/15 and amounts to \$5,167.04.

This sum of \$5,167.04 has been turned back to the town by the School Department which is requesting that it be added to the school appropriation for 1937.

The plan of paying teachers during the 12 calendar months of the year instead of the 10 months that school is in session has been adopted in many places and seems to be growing in favor among teachers.

### **Conclusion**

Much that determines a person's usefulness in life is governed by the habits formed in youth. The extent to which good character and high ideals of service are being developed among our boys and girls by our schools may not be realized for many years. Earnest efforts have been made to take advantage of the many opportunities that occur in our school activities to instill in our youth high ideals of individual conduct and behavior and to develop proper respect for the rights of others and for constituted authority.

Whatever success has been attained is due to the active cooperation of all concerned. Your Superintendent wishes to express his gratitude to the school personnel and especially to the members of the Building and School Committees who have given so freely of their time and thought for the welfare of the schools during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR W. HALE.

**REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE  
HIGH SCHOOL  
TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

Dear Sir:

The following is my report as Principal of the Franklin High School for 1936.

During the past year the lack of classroom and study hall space has handicapped and inconvenienced school work, but since the opening of the remodelled Ray School in September, 1936 conditions have been much better for both pupils and teachers.

When the furniture is installed in the addition to the main building, the school will have adequate room for all classes.

The inconvenience of pupils passing from the Ray School to the main building for various classes still exists, and loss of class time necessary.

**Tuition and Transported Students**

There are 112 recitations and study halls conducted during our daily schedule. We have 109 students who live outside of Franklin, 105 from Bellingham and 4 from Norfolk.

Fifty-six pupils are transported by the Harris Busses and 39 by the Johnson Bus Lines each day, giving a total of 208 pupils who are transported to High School.

**Musical Classes**

The musical organizations of the school are having an excellent year. The School band under the direction of Mr. Ames has attracted much attention for the excellence of its work, recently broadcasting from Station



WAAB and twelve allied stations and also playing several concerts outside of school.

Many boys and girls want opportunity to join the band, but lack of instruments prevent them from becoming members. The junior and senior bands have a combined enrollment of fifty-five members.

### **Athletic Activities**

Our school athletic teams have attracted many boys and girls and a schedule of games has been carried on in each activity.

The Athletic Association has had difficulty in meeting its financial obligations during the past three or four years due to a falling off in gate receipts, and a larger number of pupils taking part in this department, who require equipment.

With aid of donated money other than that received for admission, we hope that the first of the year will see the Association clear of debt.

### **New Classes**

Much interest is being shown by the boys who are in the newly organized "Metal Work" class and the articles they have made show sincere effort and much industry.

Our Italian course is in its second year and we again have a class of beginners and in addition a second year class. These classes are doing good work and the subject seems to have established itself permanently in the High School.

In our Civic Course we have added a class in penmanship which meets each day. Pupils in this class have made much progress since the beginning. This class is intended to improve the writing of that group of pupils who write illegibly.

### **Standing of the School**

We have maintained our standing as a Class A school with the State Department of Education, and our certification privilege with the New England College Entrance Certificate Board. Many schools not affiliated with the above named organizations have given our school the certificate privilege.

All our graduates in college are doing good work, which stands as a testimonial of the excellent teaching staff that has served the school for many years.

A large number have signified their intentions of attending college next year, and it is with pleasure that we can assure them entrance without examination.

### **Horace Mann Year**

On account of Franklin being the birthplace of Horace Mann, we are planning to take particular notice of the Mann Centennial this year by a pageant in June, and also appropriate exercises for his birthday.

The local committee has designated our high school as Horace Mann headquarters for any visitors who may come to Franklin during the "Centennial". The Manual Training Department of the High School is going to make several permanent signs to be placed about the town at places of interest and connected with Horace Mann.

### **Courses of Instruction Offered**

Our College Course has functioned in excellent manner and all students sent from high school have been successful in their college work. The number electing the College Course has been growing smaller for the past four years.

The Business Course has increased in enrollment accordingly as the College Course has become smaller. Many pupils are prepared here for general office work each year. A great many of these graduates are holding positions in offices in Franklin.



The General Course has the largest number of pupils and has been strengthened this year by adding more required subjects than it has had before this year.

In the Civic Course we are offering two years of study, and to those pupils who remain in school longer, the General Course offers suitable subjects.

### **New Equipment**

The new fire escape at the rear of the building has aided very much in speeding up our fire drills and making the building safer in event of a fire.

The change in the heating system has almost eliminated cold rooms at the beginning of school, which is very pleasing to both teachers and pupils.

### **The School Library**

This past year has seen the greatly needed High School Library become a reality. The Manual Training department has constructed the necessary book shelves, and last September, a library class of sixteen Junior and Senior pupils was organized. These students are receiving thorough instruction and practice in the various details of library science. To date they have accessioned, shelf listed, classified and numbered according to the Dewey Decimal System, and shellacked nearly 1,100 books. The Newark charging system has been installed. Library hours are from 8:10 until 3:30 each school day. Student Librarians are continually in charge—before school to receive books, during each of the six class periods to have full charge of the discipline and beneficial use of library facilities, and after school to give greater opportunity for study and reference work.

Due to the increased circulation of books at the Franklin Public Library, additional afternoon assistance was needed. The student Librarians have responded free of charge. Two students assist each afternoon during the two busiest hours. By June, 1937 each Librarian will have given approximately one month's service.

The school is greatly indebted to the Classes of 1934, 1935, and 1936 for their gifts of money which have made possible the purchase of so many desirable English books. It also appreciates the regular donations of educational magazines which a few public-spirited citizens are making.

The new year brings with it the task of developing a complete card catalog. It should also bring the development of a course on how to use the Library—a short course required for all students in the school. Although this work is hindered by the lack of a full-timed paid Librarian devoting her entire efforts to the field, it is hoped that some progress may be made in showing the students that an intelligent use of a good Library is a benefit, and an excellent use of leisure time.

One thousand thirty-three books are on the Library list at the present time, and approximately 150 pupils make use of the Library each day.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT T. PATTY.

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**REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE  
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL  
TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

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Dear Sir :

It seems good to have our building to ourselves this year and not have to work under such crowded and unfavorable conditions as existed last year. We are now able to resume our assemblies and club work, which have so much value for the child of the junior high school age.

We had one change in the faculty this year. Miss Margaret Lennon was given the seventh grade English position, and Miss Thoren was moved up to the eighth grade English position.

Our assemblies are held every other Wednesday and each home room is given charge of one or two programs. The pupils enjoy the assembly programs a great deal, and these assemblies are very valuable in many ways.

Our club work this year has been devoted entirely to Junior Red Cross Work. Each club has worked very hard, and at Christmas time, each one contributed to the Christmas boxes which were sent to the Veterans' Hospital in Rutland. We also made Menu cards which were sent to the United States Navy Boat, Charleston, and contributed gifts to the members of the Town Infirmary. All Christmas gifts were made by the pupils during club periods.

Respectfully submitted,

J. ETTA McCABE.

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## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL PHYSICIAN TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1936, which completes 30 years of service as School Physician.

Total number examined	1,596
Number of defects noted	528
Enlarged or diseased tonsils	117
Defective teeth	256
Undernourished	37
Defective eyes	18

Heart disease	5
Impetigo	4
Pediculosis	20
Thyroid disease	10
Acne	48
Wryneck	2
Raynauds disease	2
Spinal curvature	2
Disease of the ear	2
Gingivitis	1
Not vaccinated and not excused	4

Notices of these defects have been sent to the parents or guardians. A larger number of defects were noted than in 1935. This increase was largely among the undernourished and dental cases. There was also noted a large number of cases of Acne especially in the senior class of the High School. There has been an increase of 200% in the cases of undernourished children, and how can it be otherwise. Families of 5, 6, and 7 or more have been obliged to live (or should I say exist) on wages of \$12.00 to \$15.00 per week. To properly feed and clothe them is impossible. Undernourishment is the result. Tuberculosis is largely a nutritional disease, and as surely as the night follows the day, many of our undernourished will be the victims. It was a misfortune that the school lunch had to be discontinued when most needed. Owing to the crowded conditions in the High School, the lunch room was in use when needed for the preparation of the food, and also many of those who needed the lunch could not pay for it. It would add much to the health and well being of the pupils in the first five grades if they could have a warm lunch at the noon hour. Undernourished children do not as a rule make as good progress in their school work as those who are well nourished. There would be less repeaters if they were well fed. It seems to be the desire of some parents to send their children to school at the earliest moment. This is not only detrimental to health but makes some of our schools but little more than a day nursery. They are trying to develop the brain and are taking it out of the body.

Respectfully submitted,

SOLON ABBOTT, M.D.



## **REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE TO THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

Dear Sir :

I herewith submit my report for the year 1936.

The Health Program in the schools was a busy one during the year 1936. In addition to our regular routine program, extra check-ups were needed due to several cases of Scarlet Fever and German Measles.

The yearly chest clinics, by the State Department of Health and the Norfolk County Hospital, were held in March and April. In May and June the local Board of Health sponsored an Immunization Clinic which was held in the schools. At this time 947 school children and 268 pre-school children were inoculated against Diphtheria.

The Dental Clinic treated 118 children, taking the majority of cases from the first five grades with emergencies from other grades.

For a period of eight weeks, one-half pint bottles of milk were provided daily for 84 children in the schools who needed it physically and financially. Many thanks are to be given to the Teachers' Club and Fire and Police Departments for putting on benefits for the Milk Fund and Dental Clinic. The Teachers' Club turned over \$50.00 and the Police and Fire Departments \$135.90 to this fund.

The Rotary Club, Christmas Seal Fund, and Fletcher Fund contributed toward sending two children to the summer health camp for a period of eight weeks. One generous contribution for the Dental Clinic was a check for \$25.00 raised by the Junior Dramatic Club under the able direction of Mrs. Susie Rich. The Junior Red Cross, King's Daughters, and other organizations which helped our Clinics in any way are indeed to be thanked. Without the co-operation of townspeople and teachers our Health Program would suffer.



Schools visited	10
School visits	367
Home visits	331
Examinations made in schools	3,452
Examinations made in homes	141
Room inspections	464
Health Talks	284
Sanitary inspections	6
Dressings (first aid)	10
Exclusions (5 Scabies, 19 Rash, 1 Ring Worm, 17 Pediculosis, 1 non-Vaccination, 7 Impetigo)	50
Cases referred to Doctors	25
Pupils weighed	57
Pupils taken home	36
Pupils taken to Dental Clinic	118
Pupils taken to T and A Clinic	8
Pupils taken to Doctor for eye and ear examination	1
Pupils immunized against Diphtheria	947
Suspicious cases referred to Board of Health	13
Other consultations appertaining to school work	188
Assisted Doctor to examine	1,593
Assisted Dentist to examine (143 100% at this time)	1,053
Pupils to Hospitals	4
Pupils to Camps	3
Pupils tested for Tuberculosis (Von. Perquot Test)	191
Pupils having Chest X-Rays	79
Pupils examined by Clinic Doctor (Chest)	42
Hearing tests given (Audiometer)	410
Eye Tests	4
Meetings attended (2 Teachers, 2 State, 2 County, 1 Nurses)	7
Classes (Girl Scouts — First Aid)	9

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE I. SAUNDERS, R.N.

**REPORT OF THE SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE  
FROM JANUARY FIRST, 1936  
TO DECEMBER 31, 1936.**

Dear Sir :

Herewith find report of the Supervisor of Attendance from January first, 1936 to December 31st, 1936.

Number of visits to Schools	29
Number of absentees reported	24
Number of house visits	14
Number of pupils kept at home by parents	11
Number of absentees found to be ill	8
Number of absentees found to be truants	7
Number of truants delivered to Schools	3

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN M. RILEY.

**ENROLLMENT OF SCHOOLS BY GRADE**  
**October 1, 1934, 1935 and 1936**

		1934	1935	1936
<b>School</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Number</b>
High	Post Graduate	4	6	4
	XII	95	101	79
	XI	112	99	121
	X	128	160	164
	IX	188	178	188
Junior High	VIII	165	151	138
	VII	154	144	129
	Opportunity Class	15	9	13
Horace Mann — Grade VI	VI	37	39	39
	VI	36	34	37
	VI	36	32	35
	VI	32	25	34
Horace Mann — Grade V	V	35	40	38
	V	33	35	34
	V	27	40	37
	V	33	39	34
Thayer	IV	40	38	35
	III	39	32	34
	II	31	27	25
	I	33	33	25
Nason Street	IV	41	41	38
	III	40	36	30
	II	30	30	29
	I	29	32	34
Arlington Street	IV	36	36	32
	III	36	33	33
	II	39	37	27
	I	36	31	33
Four Corners	IV	37	39	27
	III	39	32	32
	II	32	32	34
	I	37	39	32
Brick	I and II	27	30	30
North Franklin	I - VI	17	17	20
TOTALS		1,749	1,727	1,674

BEGINNERS BY AGE AND SEX, OCTOBER 1, 1936. AGES AS OF OCTOBER 1, 1936

AGES, years and months	5 to 5-6		5-6 to 6		6 to 6-6		6-6 to 7		7 to 7-6		7-6 to 8		Over 8		TOTALS		
	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	B	G	T
Sex																	
Thayer School		1	3	5	7	3	1	3	1	1					12	13	25
Nason St. School			15	14			3				1	1			19	15	34
Arlington St. School		2	5	6	9	4		1	1						15	13	28
Four Corners			2	7	7	9		2							9	18	27
Brick			3	2	1	7		1							4	10	14
No. Franklin			1		2										3	0	3
TOTALS	3	29	34	26	23	4	7	2	1	1	1	1			62	69	131
	3		63		49		11		3		2						131

## HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES—JUNE, 1936

## Honor Students

1. Barbara Gowing
2. Wilma Winters
3. Doris DeJordy

4. Olive Crowell
5. Rita Johnson

Herbert H. Ambler	Alvira Mary Gianetti
Rae Elizabeth Atwood	Zeffor V. Gianetti
Ruth Cooper Bates	Barbara Shaw Gowing
Clementina Bertoni	Helen Marjorie Gregoire
Virginia Bogdanoff	Irene Cecile Guerin
Mildred Bozek	Beryl M. Henry
Madaline Frances Brown	Enid Lyle Henry
Marion G. Brown	Cornelius Francis Johnson, Jr.
Bruno C. Brunelli	Reta Eleanor Johnson
Pia Frances Brunelli	Dorothy Ethel Jones
Louis Palmer Brunelli	Edmund Joseph Keefe
Marion Matilda Carpentier	Nicholas J. Kirikos
Virginia Mildred Catalano	Rheta Fedora Luccine
Pauline Marie Cataldo	Miriam Helen MacFarlane
Ethel Christakes	Gertrude Agnes MacIvor
Bessie Ellen Clark	Ruth Louise Mackenzie
Lillian May Clark	Eva Malashkevich
James Theodore Cochrane	Jean Louise Malkemus
Alicia Veronica Corr	Florence Theresa Martel
Helen Mary Costello	Rachel Blair Martel
Katherine Patricia Costello	Antonio Ralph Masi
Patricia Loretta Cray	Blanche Louise McCarthy
Francis Joseph Crothers	Mary Clare Molinaro
Olive Crowell	Vincent Arthur Molloy
Anthony N. D'Amelio	Melda May Morrissey
Alpha Estella Davis	Victor Charles Mourey
Palma Ann DeBaggis	Grace Elizabeth Murphy
Doris Rita DeJordy	Alberta Alma Nealer
Ralph A. DeLuccia, Jr.	John James Pasquantonio
John DeNapoli	Ruth Frances Pinsky
Ruth Augusta Dowling	Dominic T. Pisano
William Prescott Dumas	Constance Phyllis Revell
Guy Francis Emerson	Carl Eugene Richardson, Jr.
Susan Eleanor Estes	Florence Vose Rickard
Harold Frederic Fales	Theodore Joseph Ristaino
John Paul Fitzpatrick, Jr.	Edward Grant Robinson
Eileen Kathryn Foley	Elizabeth Stallwood Roth
Clara J. Foss	Natalie Russoy
Anthony Philip Frenette	Nicholas Charles Scaccia
Mary Galuza	Margareta Lucy Schmidt
Elizabeth Edith Genoa	Isabella Schneider



Carl Edward Smith  
Lester L. Stewart  
Virginia Margaret Sweeney  
Harold Dean Talbot, Jr.  
Mary Louise Tero  
Mary Stella Ustinowich

Robert Charles Webber  
Jane Joan Welik  
Warren Alden Whiting  
Walter W. Willert  
Wilma Ellsworth Winters  
Edward Gregory Woloski

## SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

ARTHUR W. HALE, Superintendent of Schools  
Amherst College, A. B., Harvard University, Ed. M.

### LIST OF REGULAR TEACHERS TO DATE

HIGH SCHOOL			Years of Teaching Before Sept. 1936	Date of Election in Franklin
Name	Where Educated			
Albert T. Patty, Principal	Indiana State Teachers Col- lege, Tri-State College, B. S., B. Pd., Columbia Sum- mer School, Boston Uni- versity, Ed. M.	26	1924	
Charles F. Frazer, Sub-Master	Harvard Summer School Hyannis Summer School	39	1896	
James J. Doherty	Harvard College, A.B. Bos- ton University	11	1925	
John F. Rodgers	Fitchburg Teachers College	6	1930	
Smith W. Ames	University of Maine, A. B., M. A.	3	1934	
George H. Colbert	Boston College, Ph. B.	2	1934	
Joseph DePasqua	Amherst College, A. B.	1	1935	
Robert A. Hancock	Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege B. S.	0	1936	
Alice Wiggin	Hyannis Teachers College, 34 Radcliffe College, A. B. Boston University and Harvard Summer Schools		1902	
Dorothy M. Anderson	Boston University, A. B. Harvard Graduate School	6	1930	
Marion E. Lawrence	Univ. of Vermont, B.S. Breadloaf School of Eng- lish	8	1930	
Marion Littlefield	Bates College, A.B. Boston University	8	1931	

<b>Name</b>	<b>Where Educated</b>	<b>Years of Teaching Before Sept. 1936</b>	<b>Date of Election in Franklin</b>
Priscilla Bullukian	Boston University, B.S.S. Columbia Summer School Boston Univ. Graduate School	7	1932
Helen M. Crowley	Regis College, A.B.	4	1932
Doris M. Hathaway	Framingham Teachers Col- lege, B.S.	7	1929
Marion E. Holmes	Boston University, A.B.	1	1935
Marie C. Hyde	Trinity College, A.B. Boston University, M.A.	1	1935
Frances C. Keefe	Regis College, B.S.S.	0	1936
<b>THERON METCALF SCHOOL</b>			
J. Etta McCabe, Principal	Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege, Harvard Summer School, Boston University, Univ. of Rochester Sum- mer Schools, Boston Uni- versity, B.S.	24	1912
Elizabeth J. Howard	Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege, Hyannis Summer School, Boston University, N. E. Conservatory of Mu- sic	18	1920
Mary L. Doherty	Hyannis Teachers College Hyannis Summer School Boston College Graduate School	17	1920
Mary L. Emery	Boston University	13	1924
Charles R. Masi	Fitchburg Teachers College Ohio University Summer School, Fitchburg Summer School	3	1934
Ruth T. Goddard	Framingham Teachers Col- lege, B.S.	2	1934
Margaret L. Thoren	Salem Teachers College Hyannis Summer School	5	1931
Helen M. Angell	Portia Law School, L.L.B.	7	1935
Margaret F. Lennon	Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	20	1935

Name	Grade Where Educated	Years of Teaching Before Sept. 1936	Date of Election in Franklin
	<b>Grade</b>		
	<b>Opp. Class</b>		
Helen L. Leary	Brown University, Ph. B. Harvard Summer School R. I. School of Law	1	1935

#### HORACE MANN SCHOOL — GRADE 6

Gertrude A. Curtis, Principal	6 Franklin High School, Univ. Ex. Courses	45	1914
Ethel K. Foster	6 Fall River High School	35	1914
E. Mildred Herbert	6 Fitchburg Teachers College	10	1927
Mildred E. Mullin	6 Fitchburg Teachers College	11	1927

#### HORACE MANN SCHOOL — GRADE 5

Dollie S. Carroll, Principal	5 Farmington Me. Normal	44	1903
May E. Lennon	5 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	20	1917
Marion G. Jordan	5 North Adams Teachers Col- lege	7	1929
Helen L. Cataldo	5 Hyannis Teachers College Boston University, B.S.	2	1934

#### THAYER SCHOOL

H. Maud Stott, Principal	3 Dean Academy, Hyannis Summer School	26	1910
Vivian A. Rogers	4 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	13	1923
Lucile Cook	2 Lesley Normal School	5	1931
Marie Leary	5 Framingham Teachers Col- lege	5	1931

Name	Grade Where Educated	Years of Teaching Before Sept. 1936	Date of Election in Franklin

### NASON STREET SCHOOL

Beulah A. Woodward, Principal	4 Franklin High School	34	1903
Margaret H. Donahue	3 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	13	1925
Katherine D. Griffin	2 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege, Harvard Extension Courses	6	1930
Helen D. Shea	1 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	13	1928

### ARLINGTON STREET SCHOOL

Emma J. Holmes, Principal	4 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	34	1902
Irene Keefe	3 Neil Kg. and Primary School	1	1935
Ruth H. Cleary	2 Fitchburg Teachers College	10	1928
Mary S. Vanston	1 Boston Normal School	33	1926

### FOUR CORNERS SCHOOL

Maud L. Granger, Principal	2 Dean Academy Hyannis Summer School	28	1910
Marion E. Carpenter	4 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege	9	1929
Margaret M. Hart	3 Framingham Teachers Col- lege	12	1924
Eleanor M. Thayer	1 Lesley Normal School	9	1929

### BRICK SCHOOL

Edith L. Metcalf	1—2 Bridgewater Teachers Col- lege, Hyannis Summer School	33	1904
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Name	Where Educated	Years of Teaching Before Sept. 1936	Date of Election in Franklin
<b>NORTH FRANKLIN SCHOOL</b>			
Belle G. Nowland	1—6 Bridgewater Teachers College	23	1920
<b>SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC</b>			
Marie S. Riley	Dean Academy Boston University Summer School	1	1935
<b>SUPERVISOR OF DRAWING</b>			
Irene K. Wight	Mass. School of Art	11	1928
<b>BOYS' PHYSICAL DIRECTOR</b>			
Howard J. Laundry	Arnold College, B.S. in Phys. Ed.	2	1934
<b>GIRLS' PHYSICAL DIRECTOR</b>			
Alice L. Beane	Sargent School for Phys. Ed. Marywood College, B.S.	4	1933

## AGE-GRADE TABLE

October 1, 1936

Grades	Sex	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Totals
I.....	M	18	42	7	2													69
	F	30	43	2	1													76
II.....	M		22	37	7	1			1									68
	F		28	28	3	1												60
III.....	M			19	36	10	6	1										72
	F			30	26	3		2										61
IV.....	M				23	31	9	4	2									69
	F				24	28	8	4	1									65
V.....	M				0	20	34	13	3			1						71
	F				1	29	40	6	2									78
VI.....	M						18	39	8	5								70
	F						33	37	6	3								79
VII.....	M						1	24	36	9	1							71
	F						2	25	26	4	1							58
VIII.....	M							1	19	30	9	5	0					64
	F								31	33	9		1					74
IX.....	M								3	32	33	18	11	1				98
	F								2	33	40	11	4					90
X.....	M									2	25	42	13	2				84
	F									1	27	45	5	1	1			80
XI.....	M											14	25	8	4			51
	F										1	25	39	5				70
XII.....	M											1	16	17	8		1	43
	F												20	16				36
P. G.....	M														0	0		0
	F														1	3		4
Opp. Class..	M				1	1	2	2	2		2							10
	F						1	1					1					3
Tot.by Ages	M	18	64	63	69	63	70	84	74	78	70	81	65	28	12		1	840
	F	30	71	60	55	61	84	75	68	74	78	81	70	23	4		0	834
Grand Total		48	135	123	124	124	154	159	142	152	148	162	135	51	16		1	1674

# STATISTICS OF ENROLLMENT, MEMBERSHIP, AND ATTENDANCE

1926—1936

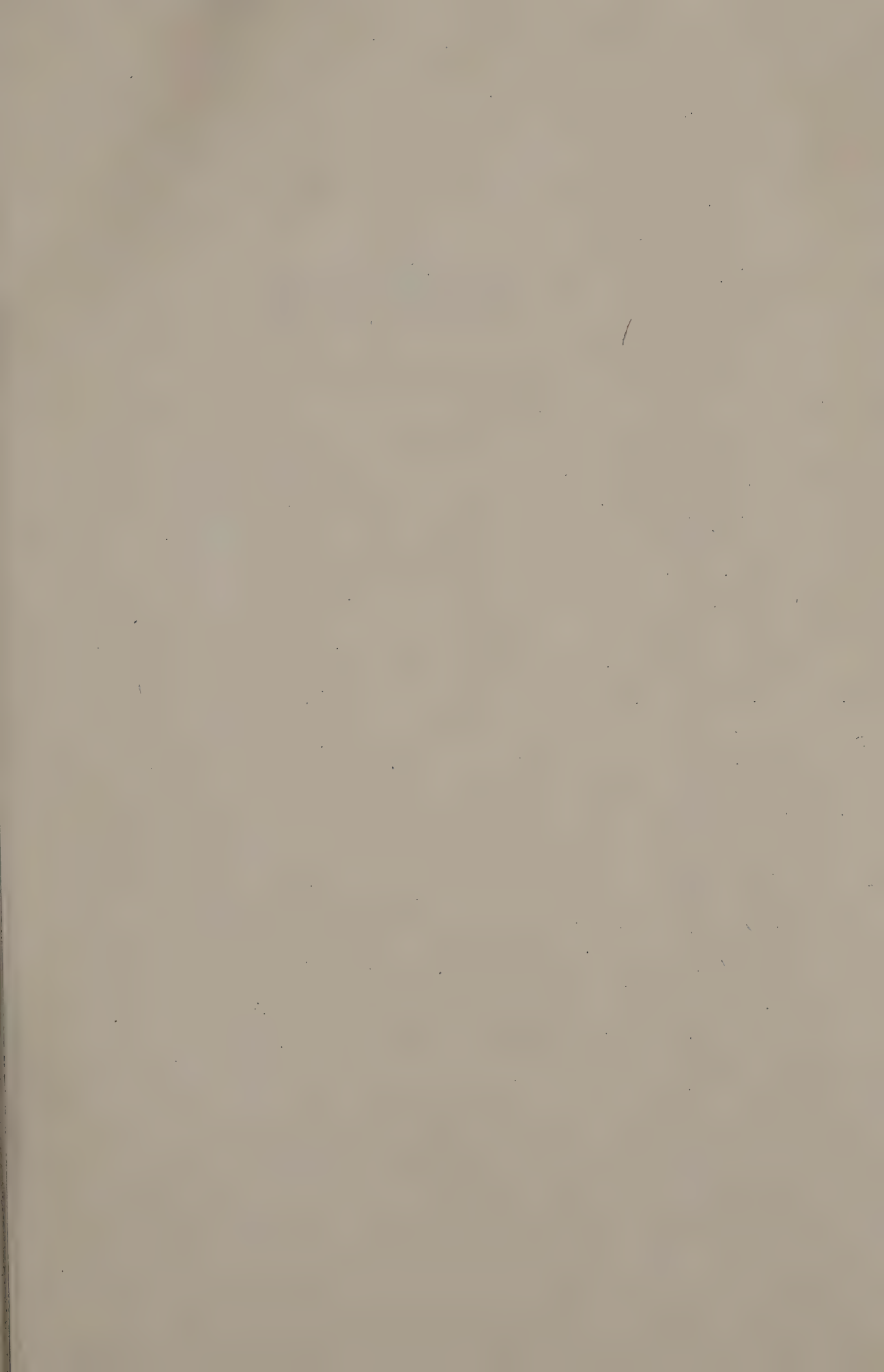
School Year	Enrollment			Av. Membership			Av. Attendance			Percent Attendance		
Ending	Total	High	El.	Total	High	El.	Total	High	El.	Total	High	El.
June, 1926	1596	340	1256	1533	310	1223	1446	292	1154	94.3	94.0	94.5
" 1927	1662	371	1291	1561	344	1217	1460	326	1134	93.5	94.8	93.2
" 1928	1673	388	1285	1614	367	1247	1533	346	1187	95.0	94.3	95.2
" 1929	1679	396	1283	1596	367	1229	1496	-344	1152	93.7	93.7	93.7
" 1930	1659	408	1251	1600	384	1216	1517	362	1155	94.8	94.3	95.0
" 1931	1687	448	1239	1643	422	1221	1562	399	1164	95.1	94.6	95.3
" 1932	1748	489	1259	1688	453	1235	1604	427	1177	95.0	94.3	95.3
" 1933	1791	547	1244	1716	502	1214	1616	468	1148	94.2	93.2	94.5
" 1934	1793	528	1265	1704	477	1227	1597	446	1151	93.7	93.5	93.8
" 1935	1768	535	1233	1711	499	1212	1602	465	1137	93.6	93.2	93.8
" 1936	1757	555	1202	1689	515	1174	1575	477	1098	93.3	92.6	93.5
Sept.-Dec. 1936	1725	568	1157	1664	553	1111	1588	520	1068	95.4	94.2	96.2

## TOTAL EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS, AND NET COSTS

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Expenses	\$130,573.57	\$120,485.58	\$107,675.18	\$109,016.74	\$111,162.12	\$110,788.28
Receipts	21,476.25	23,923.58	24,978.80	20,085.33	21,150.11	22,716.17
Net costs	\$109,097.32	\$96,562.00	\$82,696.38	\$88,931.41	\$90,012.01	\$88,072.11

## PER PUPIL EXPENDITURES, RECEIPTS, AND NET COSTS

	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Expenses	\$80.70	\$74.14	\$62.75	\$63.98	\$64.97	\$65.59
Receipts	13.27	14.72	14.56	11.79	12.36	13.45
Net costs	\$67.43	\$59.42	\$48.19	\$52.19	\$52.61	\$52.14







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